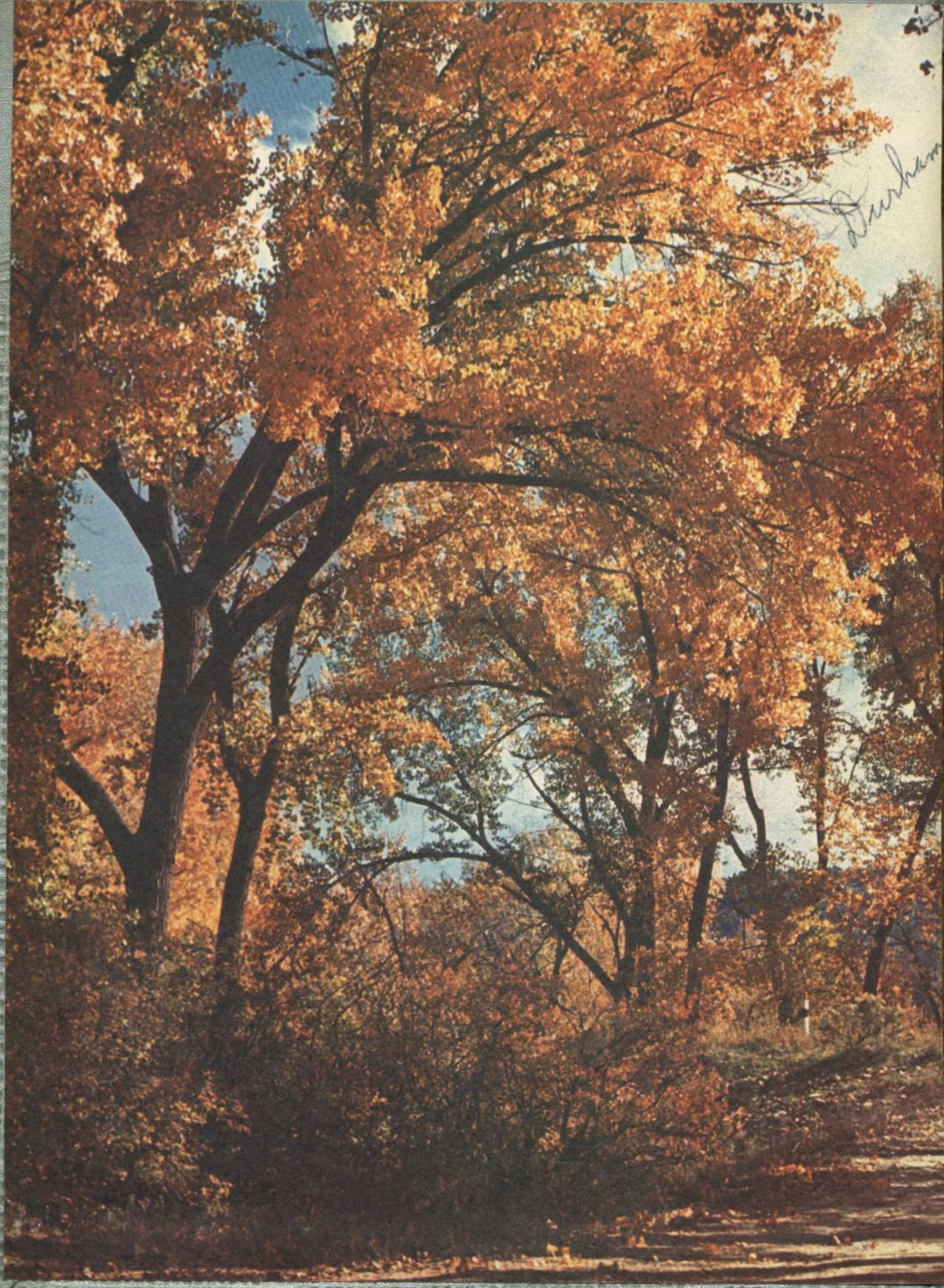


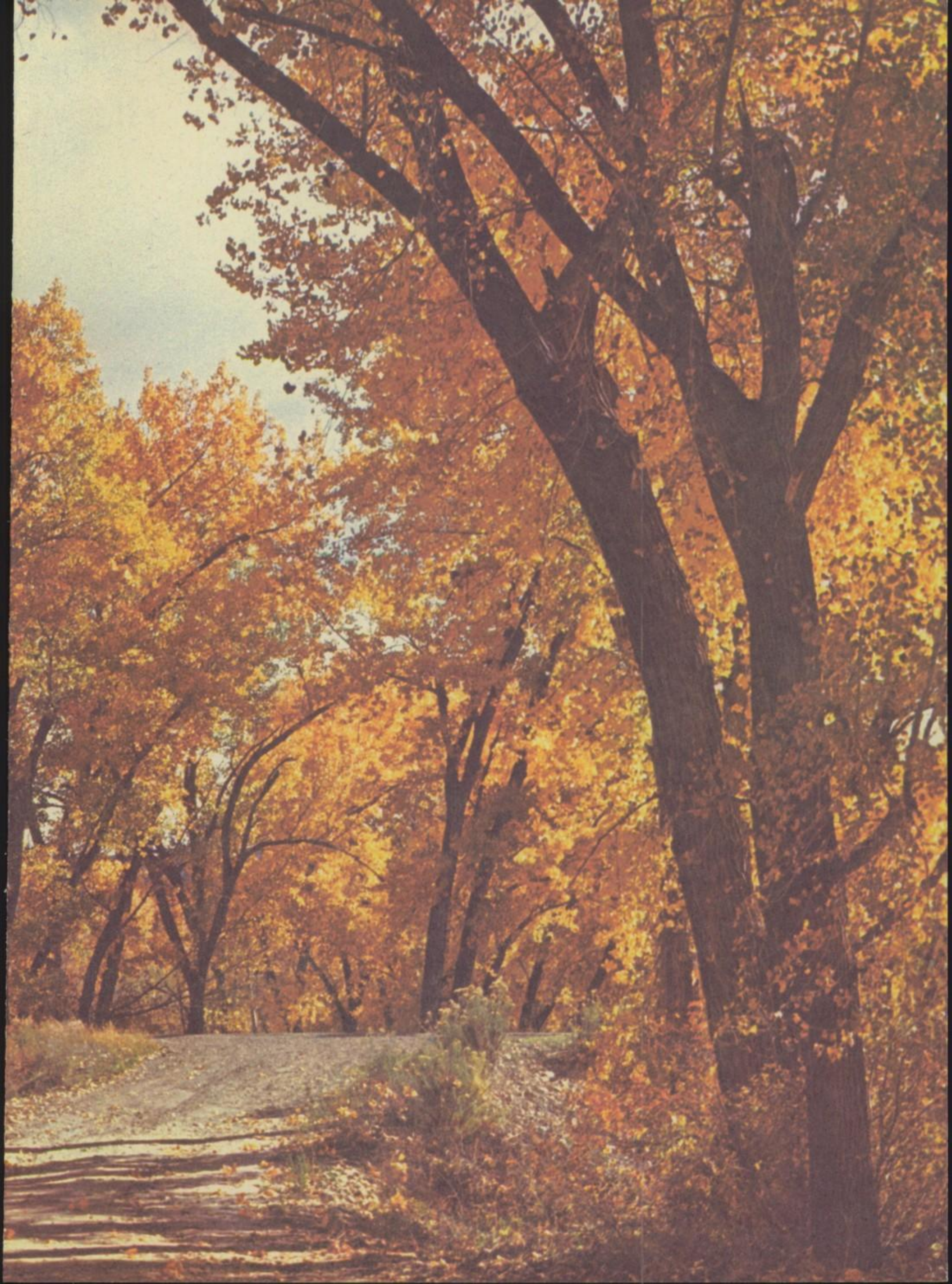
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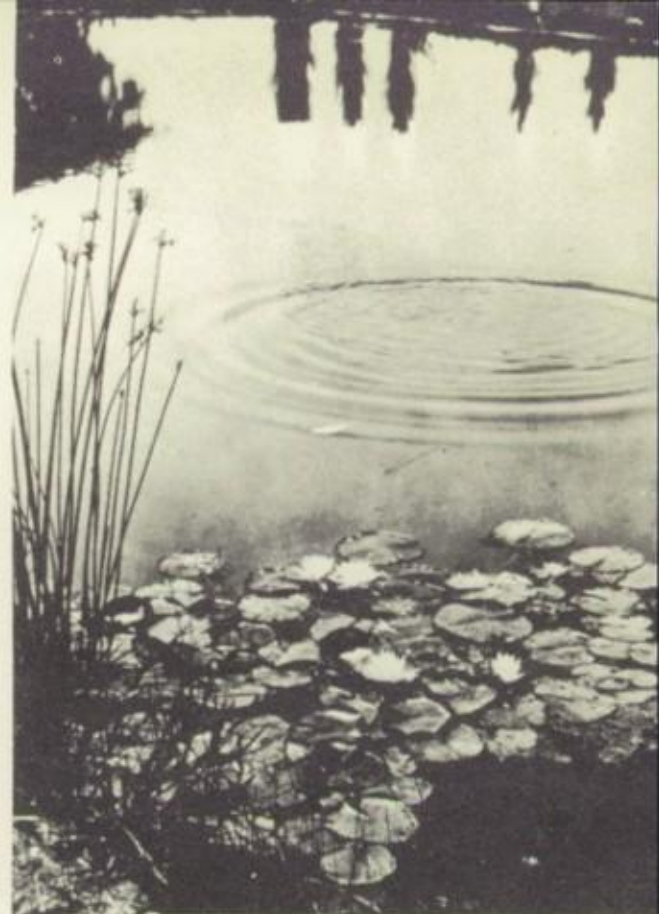




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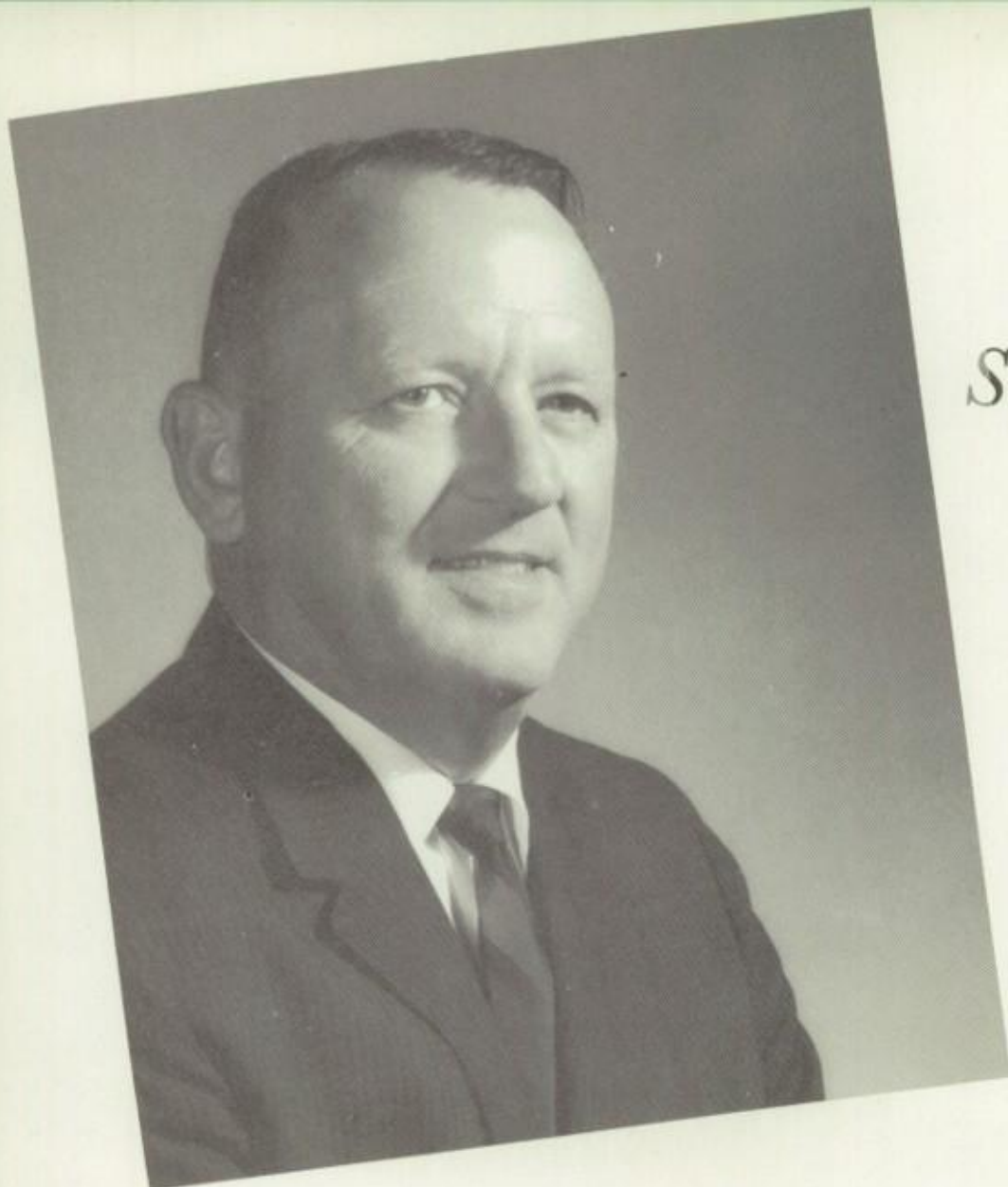
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We were pleased that we could add foreign language to our curriculum this year. This addition will help many students who are interested in that particular field.

After we received this year's accrediting report from the State Department of Education, we compared it with some of the previous reports. We found we are now offering 28 1/2 units of credit in senior high school as compared to 17 units that were offered nine years ago. This report did not include the ninth grade subjects.

It is most gratifying to think we are making some improvement. We realize this progress has been possible through the efforts and interest of the faculty, students, and parents.

If all of us can continue to contribute our share to this cooperative effort, our growth in the future should far exceed that of the past.

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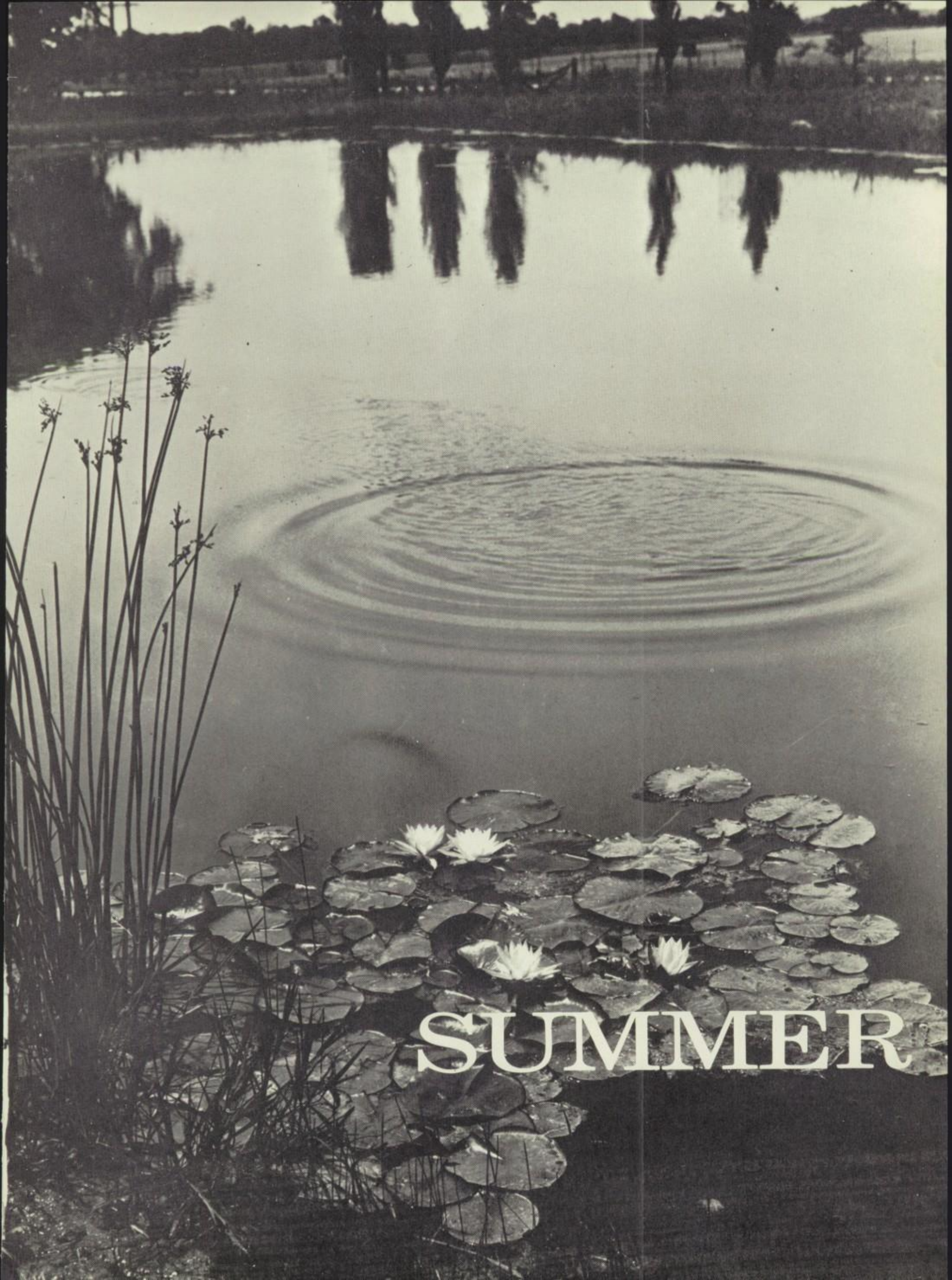
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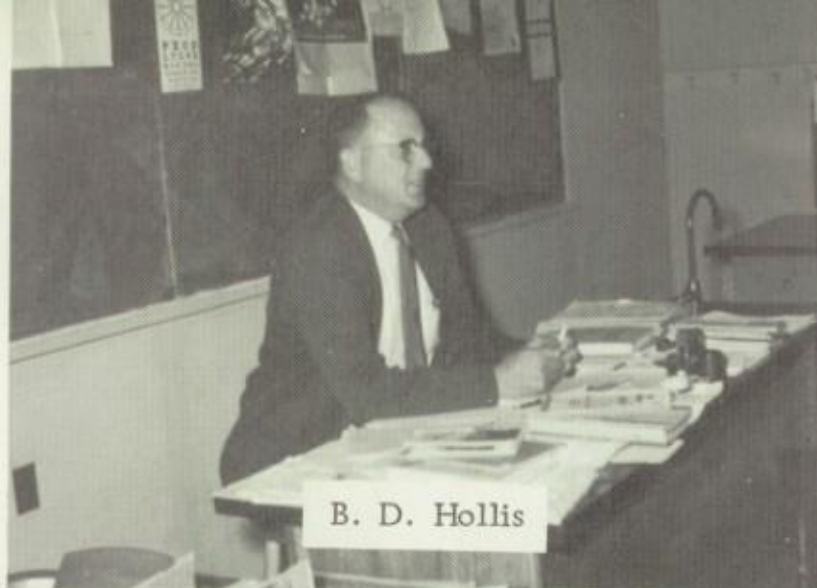
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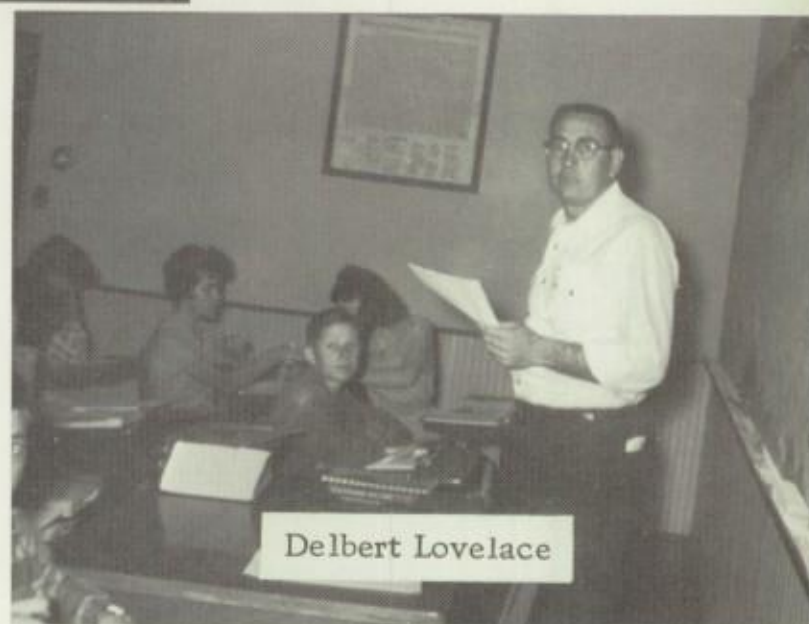
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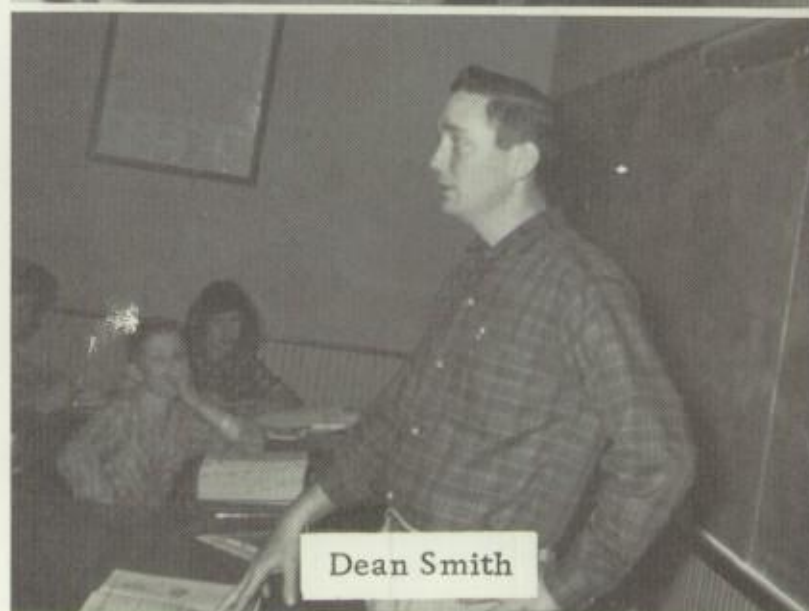
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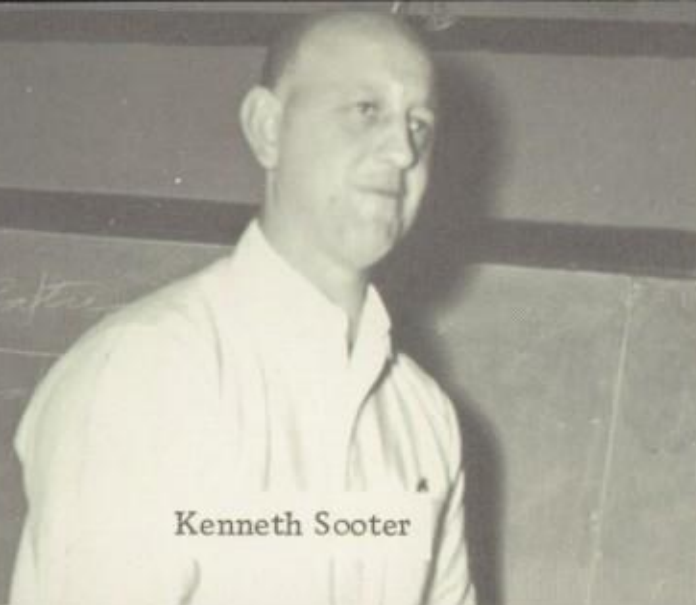
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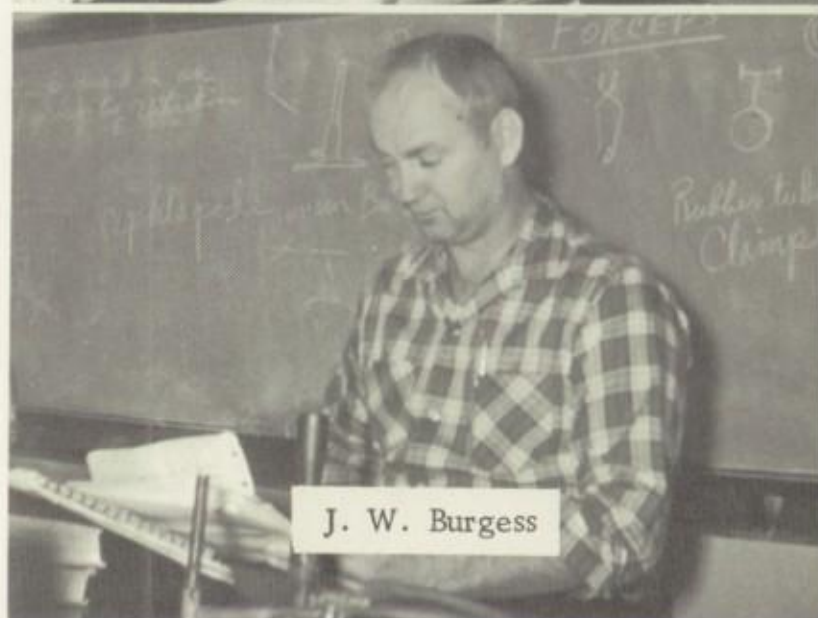
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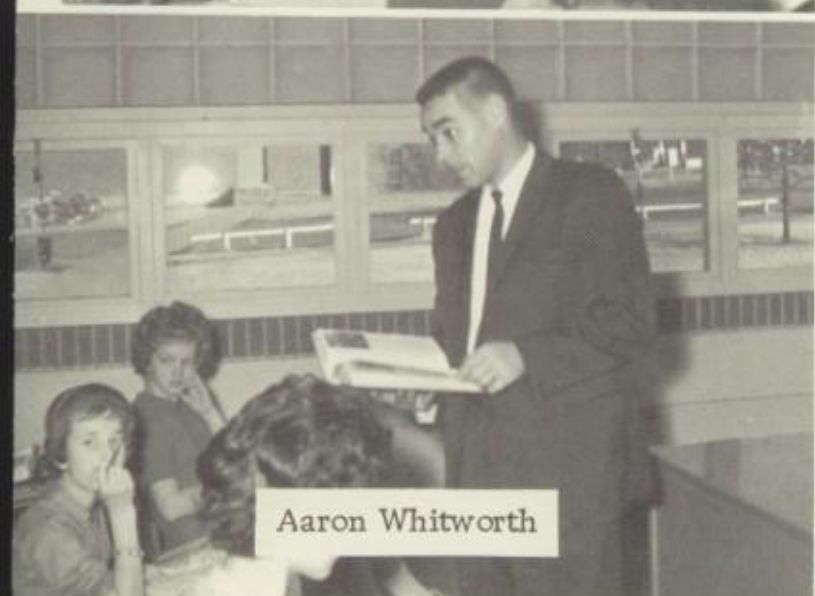
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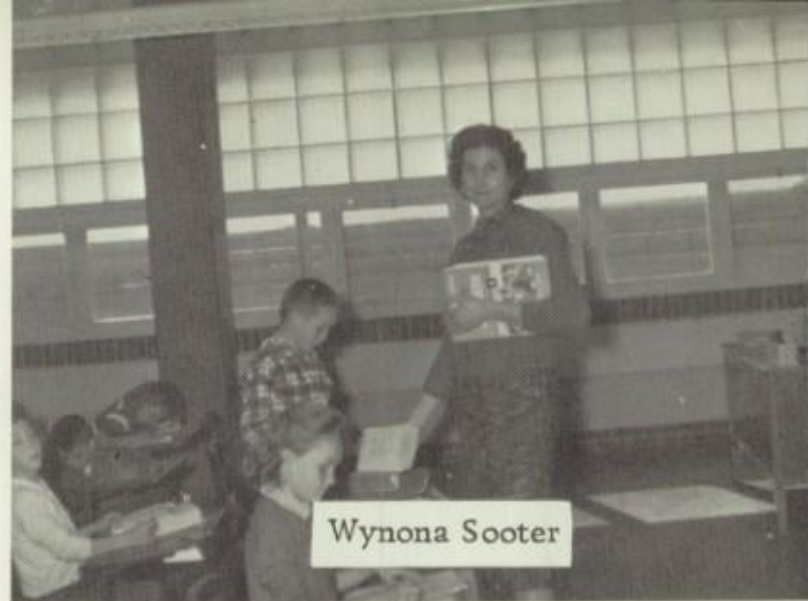
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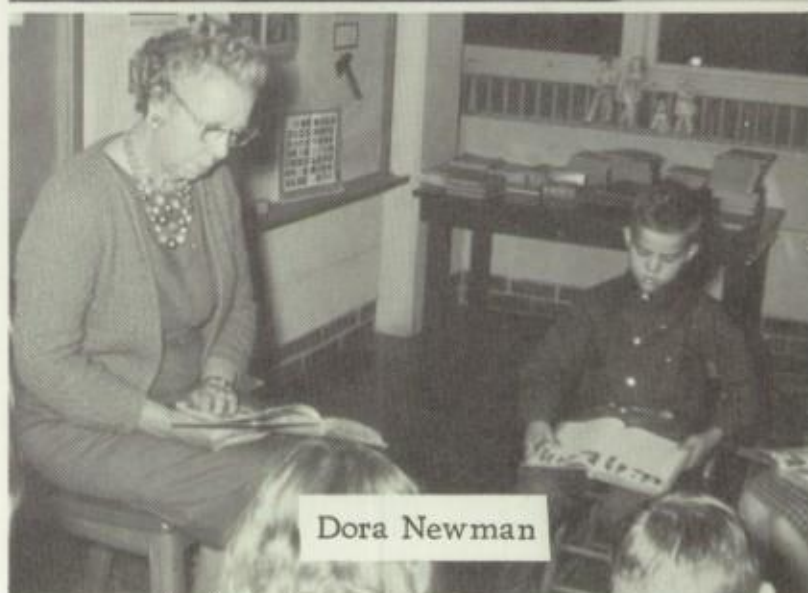
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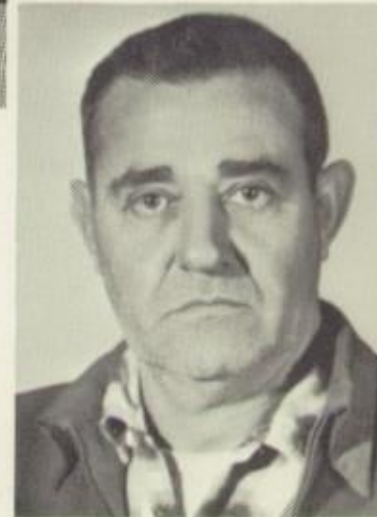
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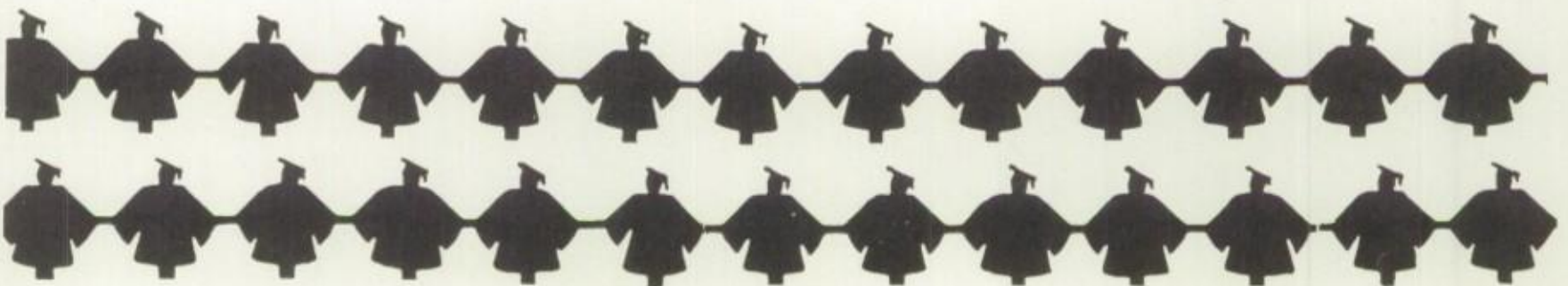


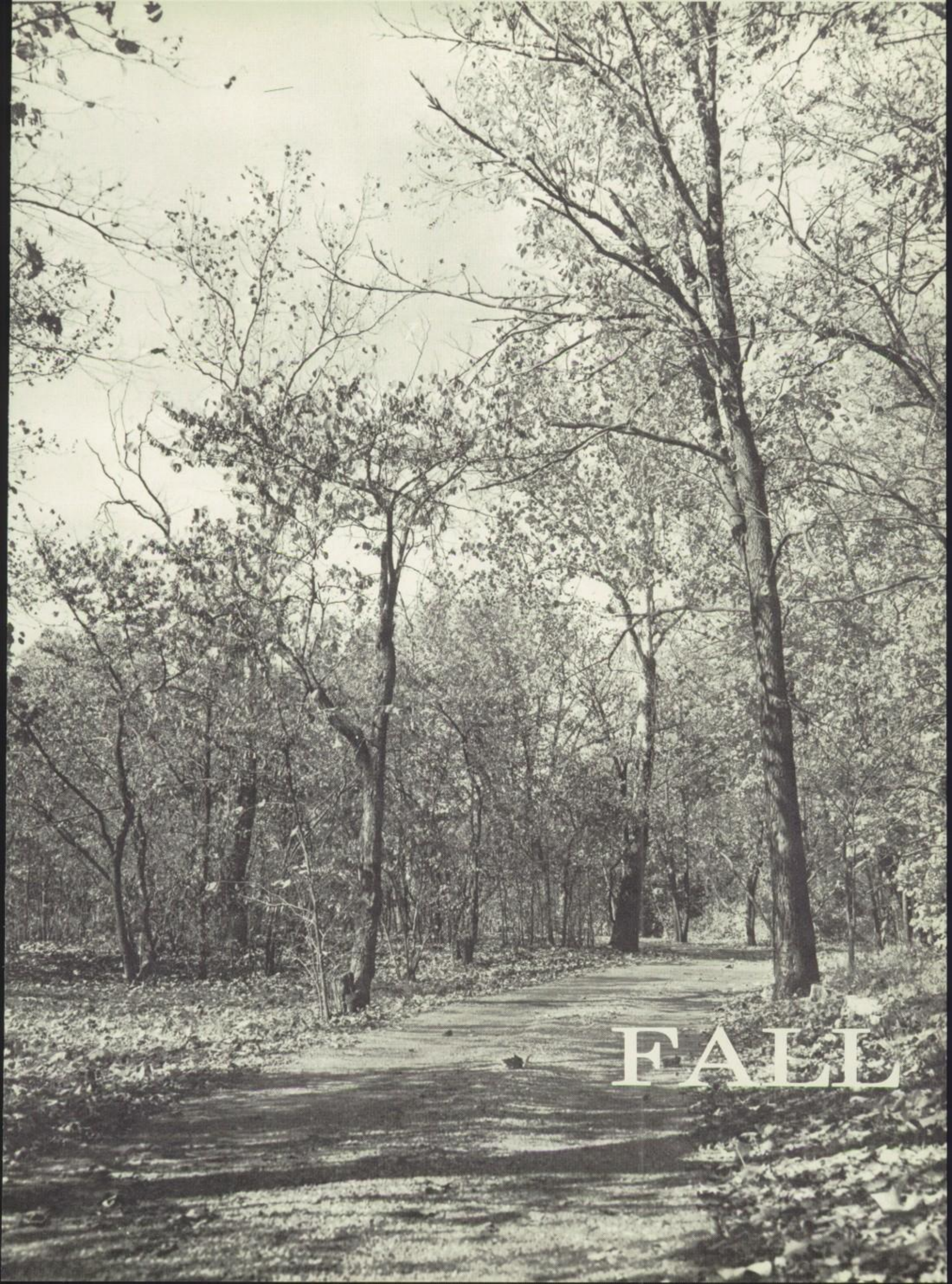
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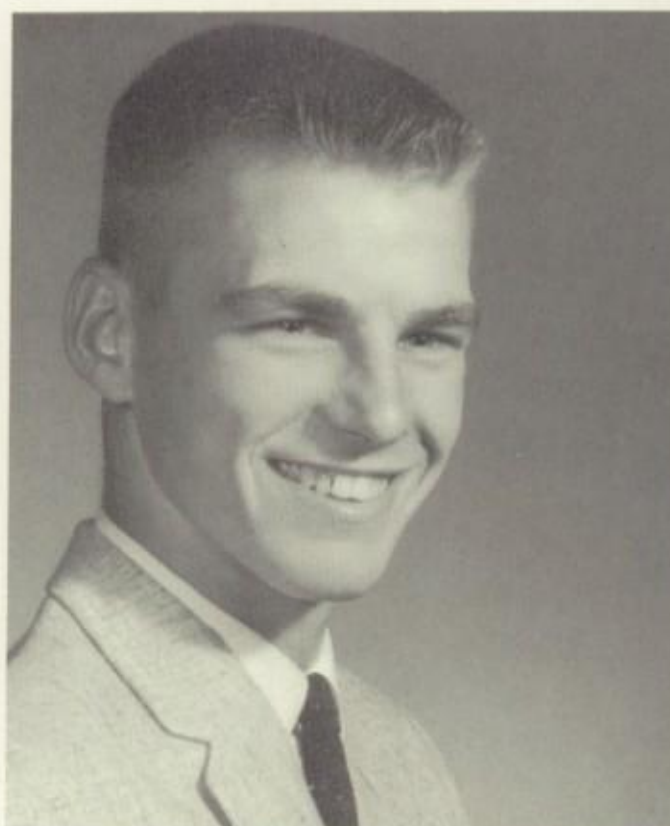
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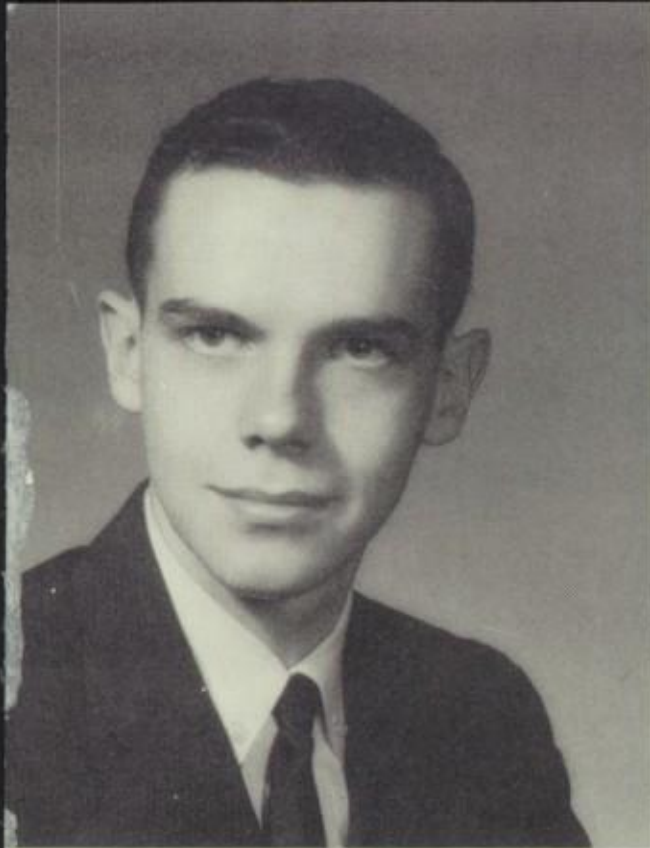
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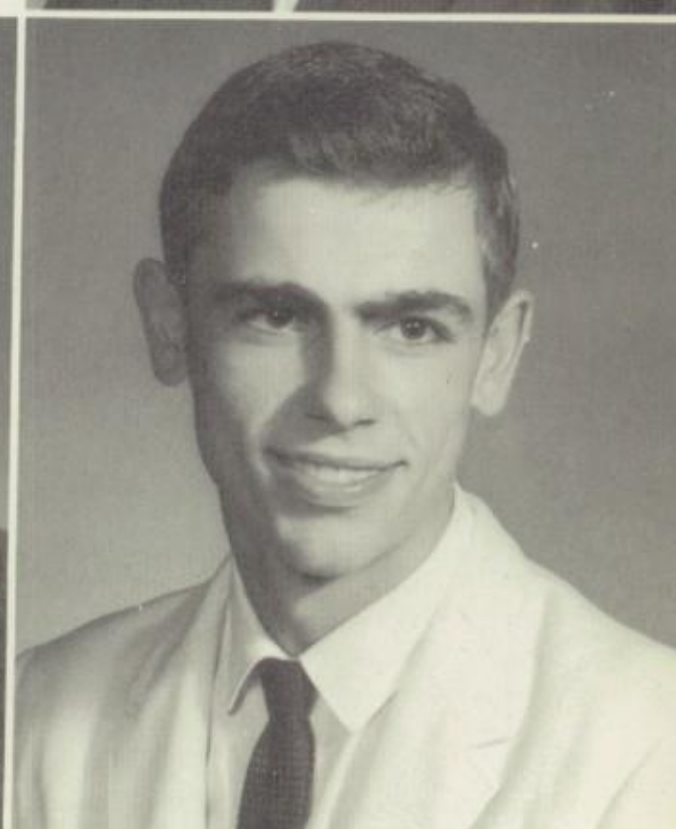
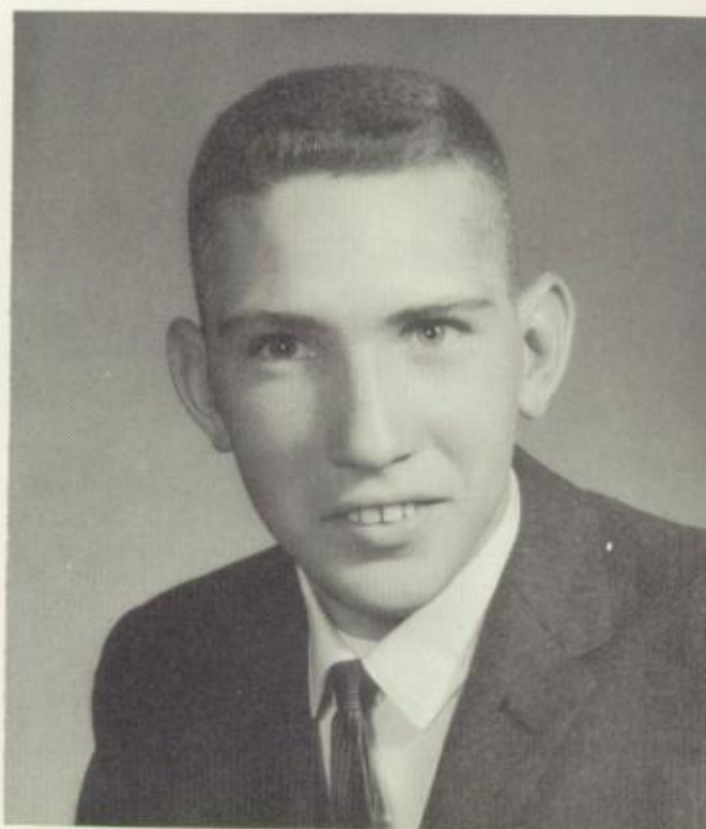
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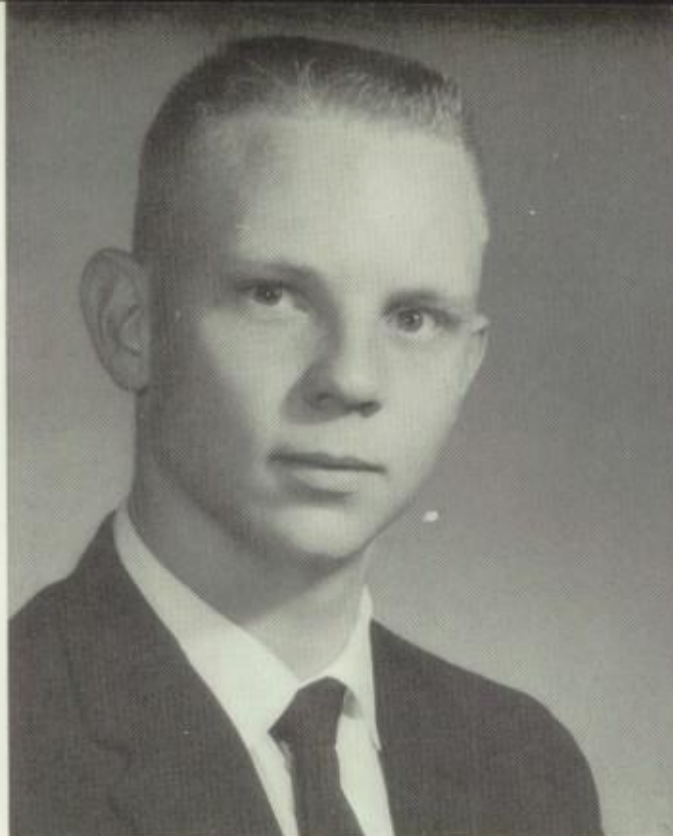
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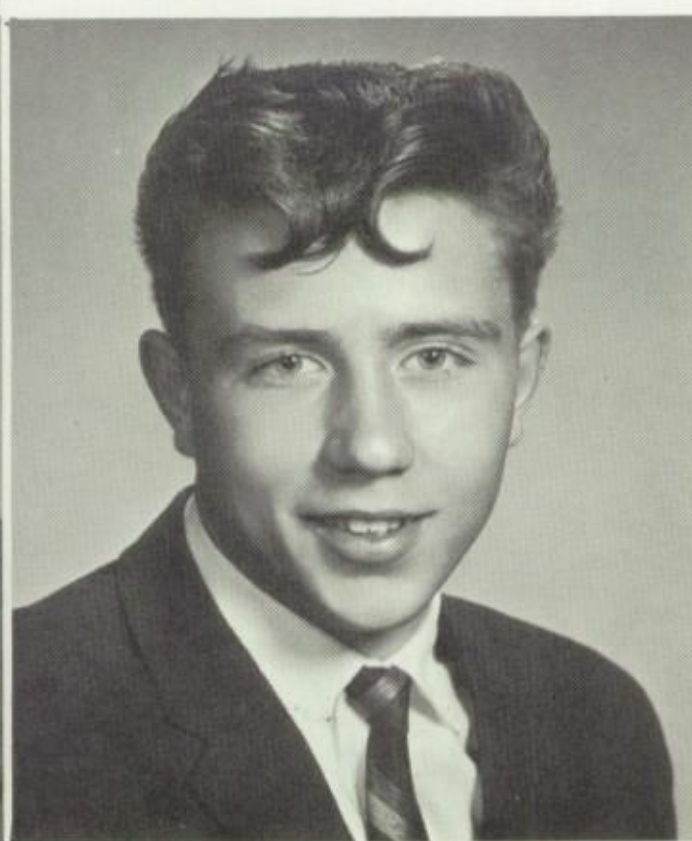
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To the faculty we leave our exceptional intelligence, our studious manners, and our great love for learning for which we have been noted in the past.

To the Juniors we leave a small portion of our dignity, well knowing that if we left the whole of our dignity, their meager bodies and minds would not be able to carry the same.

To the Sophomores we leave our old chewing gum, our paper wads, and unpaid bills that we accumulated through our Junior year.

Nancy Price wills her well-known giggle to Darlene Collins.

Steve Neill wills his ability for tearing car doors off during noon hour and being late for class to Clete Neal.

Perry Jones wills his ability to go with out-of-town girls to Tommy Teal.

Joe Cox wills his ability to get in class just as the bell rings to John Steele.

Larry Able leaves two maps and one chart of choice parking places west of town to Johnny Walls. Here's hoping Johnny uses them to the utmost.

Norma Bynum wills her ability to be voted the biggest flirt in the Senior class to Faye Sears. Better get busy, Faye.

C. J. McCord wills his manly figure to Ronnie Jones.

Sandy Anderson wills her list of rules on how to catch out-of-town boy friends to Rosey Tyler. Maybe these will work, Rose Ann.

Gary Chaney leaves his blond, curly hair to Darrell Julian.

Charlotte Farris wills her technique on how to catch a man to Barbara McAffrey. Better get started with the lessons, Barb.

Dale Walker wills his ability to be late for the bus by over-sleeping to Gene Jones.

Lyman Johnston wills all the second-hand lipstick that he has accumulated in the last few years to his brother Lloyd.

Virginia Huxtable wills her old boy friends to Judy Myers to add to her collection.

Joe Armstrong wills his manly height to Joe Schumacher.

Nancy Divelbiss wills her ability to do the right thing at the wrong time and the wrong thing at the right time to Earlene Angel.

Sam Wynn wills his matchless gift of gab to Yvonne Fox.

Connie Tritthart wills all of her old studying habits to Peggy Whisamore.

J. D. Streeter wills his shyness around girls to Lonnie Wynn.

Jo Ann Tallman wills her love for college men to Suzie Wolfe.

Billy Carder wills his ability to go with two girls at the same time to Dean Griffith.

Juanita Rice wills her dieting procedure to Dee Ann Lees. Better start counting calories, Dee Ann.

Richard Teal wills his old Physics papers to Jimmy Talley.

Teddy Ingram wills his romantic ways to Jimmy George.

Ronnie Arnold wills his charm for a certain Sophomore girl to Rollin Rogers.

George Seals wills his speed and hustle to Dale DeSilva.

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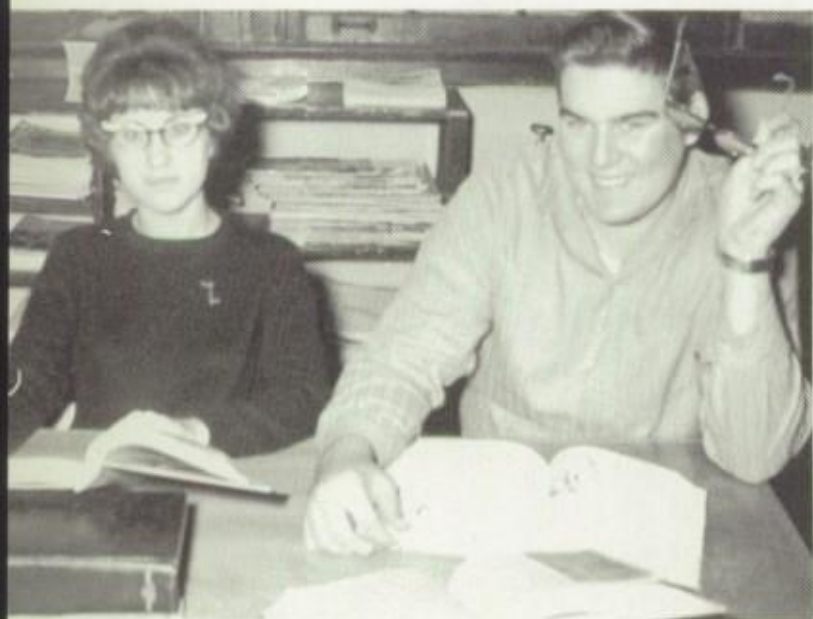
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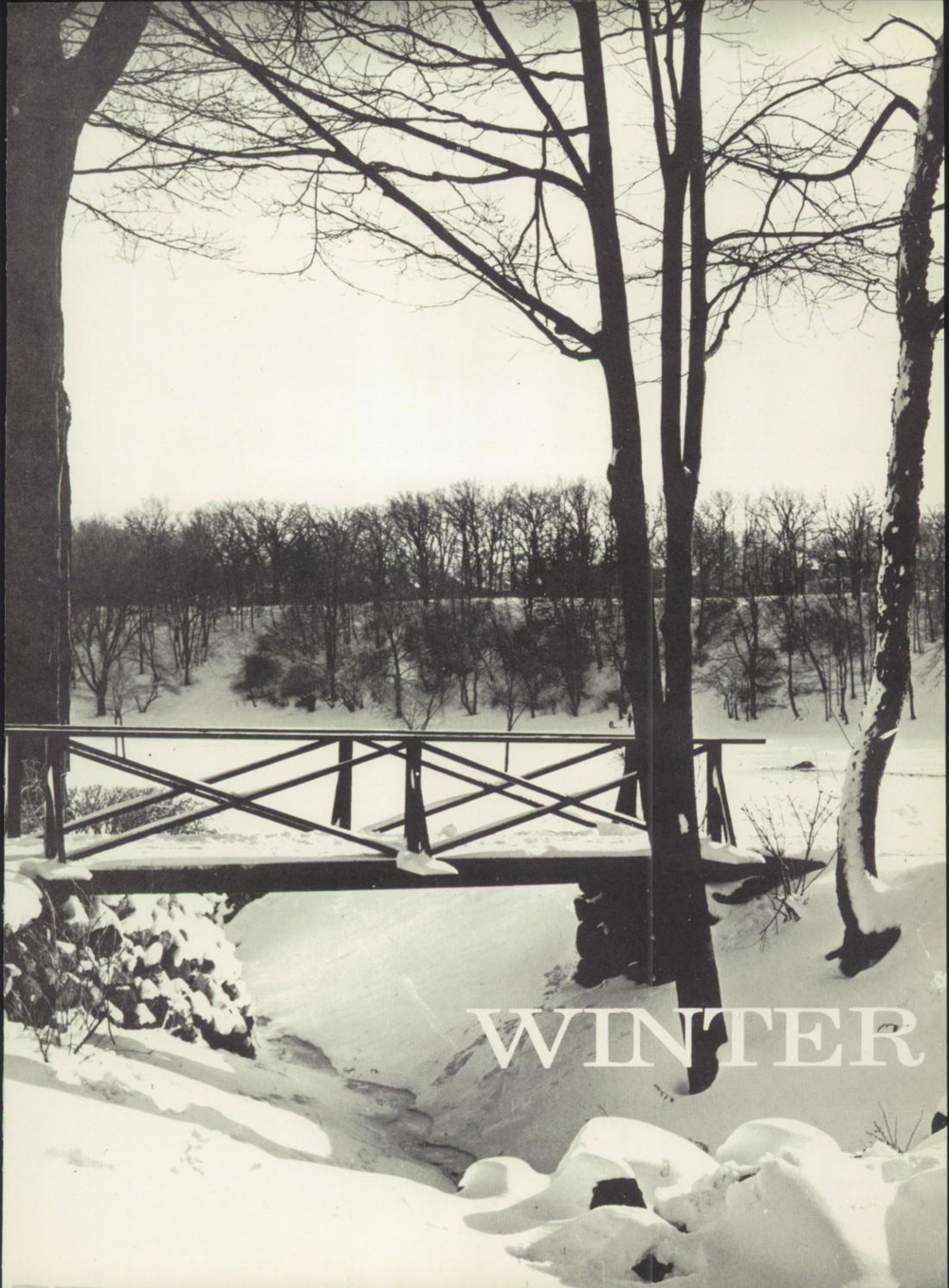
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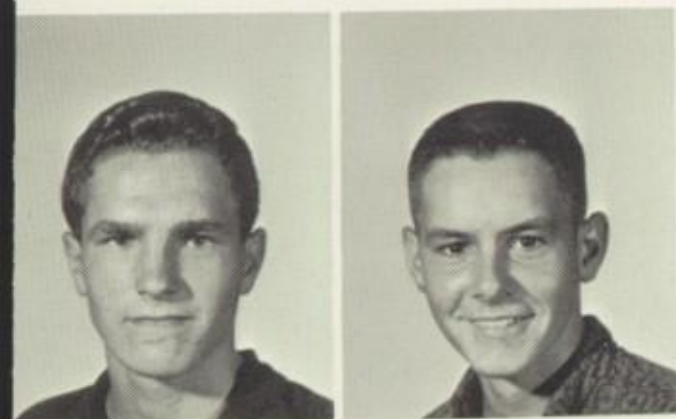
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Dexter Reavis

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Jim George

Carole Grigsby
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Bobby Black



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Beverly Parker
Steven Griffith





Beaty, Sandra
Benton, Connie
Black, Robert
Brown, Michael



Burris, Linda
Chaney, Ronald
Fromm, John
Gamble, Dewaine



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Hartsock, Sandra
Horn, Sue

Jinks, James
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Lester, Glenn
McNelis, Ronald



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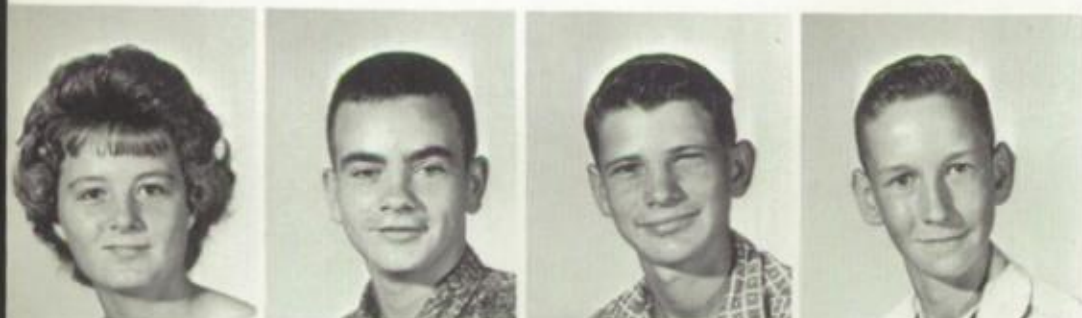
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Tedford, Dallas
Trantham, Patsy



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Fox, Patsy



Fromm, William
Fugate, Kenneth
Gilmam, Willard
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Harris, Lena Mae



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Holliday, Fred M.



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EIGHTH

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Grigsby, Mark

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Schumacher, Lawrence
Seay, John

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Tyler, Richard

Williams, Arthur
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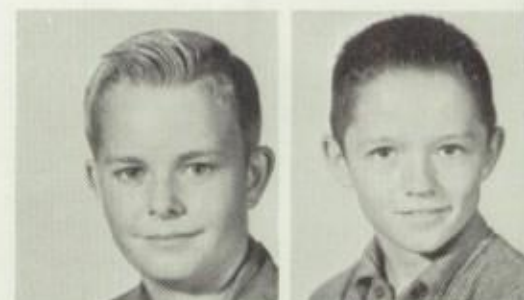


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Harden, Michael

Haws, Royal
Hollis, Toney



Horn, Roy
Humphrey, Carol



SIXTH

Jones, Linda
Knight, Betty



Moreland, Robin
Polson, Gary
Reavis, Troy

Lalicker, Gerald
Lessley, Duane



Rogers, Fonda
Sheffield, Rose
Smith, Eldena



Sooter, Lynn
Triece, Robert
Williamson, Ricky



Williamson, Vicky
Wolfe, Michael
Yost, Carolyn

Mary Walker--Teache
Apperson, Joyce
Beck, Timothy
Benton, Michael



Broyles, Kathryn
Bryson, Rhonda
Bullard, Randy
Davis, Stephen



Farrell, Vicky
Fox, Janice
Fromm, Katherine
Gamble, Glenda



Holliday, Kenneth
Humphrey, Harold



Griffith, Charles
Grooms, Stanley
Harris, Steven
Haws, Doyle

Jinks, Sandra
Johnston, Deborah

FIFTH

Johnson, Richard
Kenworthy, Jeanette



McNelis, Karen
McCord, Kenneth
Oney, Randy
Pierce, David C.



Knight, Elizabeth
Malone, Gerald



Powers, Larry
Rogers, Billy Ray
Schumacher, James
Seay, Nancy



Souder, Steven
Stewart, Donna
Talley, Richard
Teal, Michael

Williams, Cathy
Williams, Marilyn
Yost, Larry



Mrs. Houx--Teacher
Beck, Daniel
Bluejacket, Deborah
Blair, Randy



Brown, Patricia
Burris, Charles
Callahan, Shirley
Carder, Claude



Cravens, Earlene
Flanders, Ricky
Fromm, Charles
Greer, Daryle

Guest, Paula
Hall, Eldon



Harris, Franklin
Harrison, Georgia



FOURTH

Hollingsworth, Jack
Humphrey, Cathy



Moore, Glenda
Moore, Linda
Remington, Charlotte
Rice, Leslie Ann

Kay, Kenneth



Seigel, Rickie
Sooter, Mark
Swango, Carol
Teal, Sharon



Tyler, Marcus
Walker, David
Williams, Donna
Williams, Louise



Bryson, Barbara Juan
Curnutte, Vernon
Mrs. Sooter--Teacher



Dunn, Betty Jane
Ewers, Lisa Diane
Fessler, James



Fessler, Janice
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Horner, Mitchell



Jenkins, Coy
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THIRD AND FOURTH

Lovelace, Mark
Moreland, David



McNelis, Kathy
Neil, Gregory
Parker, Roger



Pierce, Teresa
Powers, Rebecca
Reavis, Roger



Rice, Gregory
Seigel, Rebecca
Ward, Patti





Miss Johna Hawkins--Teacher
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Burgess, Becky
Callahan, Jarold
Carder, Dean



Chenoweth, Bonita
Cleveland, Linda
Davis, Kathy
Eckles, Lissa



Fulcher, Jerry
Harden, Connie
Harris, Janet
Highsmith, Gregory

THIRD

Humphrey, Gail
Johnson, Carl



Kays, Michele
Kurz, Michael



Lipscomb, Connie
McAffrey, Billy Joe



McAffrey, Bonnie
McClure, Jana
Miller, Brenda
Moore, Vickie

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Ruark, Randall
Schumacher, Linda



Smith, Colleen
Swango, Susan
Teal, Regina
Yost, Roger

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 Burris, Joy
 Carder, Debra



Carder, Clyde
 Chaney, Ricky
 Cravens, Linda



Dunaway, John Boyd
 Foust, Gene
 Gilman, Wayne



Greer, John
 Hall, Fonda



Hilderbrand, Teresa
 Horner, Cristiann



Humphrey, Shirley
 Johnson, Danny



SECOND

Jones, Carolyn
 Kinnison, Cindy
 Lalicker, Judith
 Logan, Helen



Lovelace, David
 Miller, David Ray
 Smith, Patsy Jo
 Sooter, Monty



Tyler, Marjorie
 Walker, Kay Ann
 Williams, Christy Lynn
 Wolfe, Richard





Bluejacket, Brad
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Chenoweth, Donald



Fitzpatrick, Micheal
Hackleman, Karla
Highsmith, Grant



Horner, Charles
Layton, Lacresia
McAffrey, Brenda

FIRST AND SECOND

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Moore, George



Neal, Curtis
Neil, Deborah



Parker, Rebecca
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Rogers, Vicky
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Teacher



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Yost, Dixie



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Tree in Play

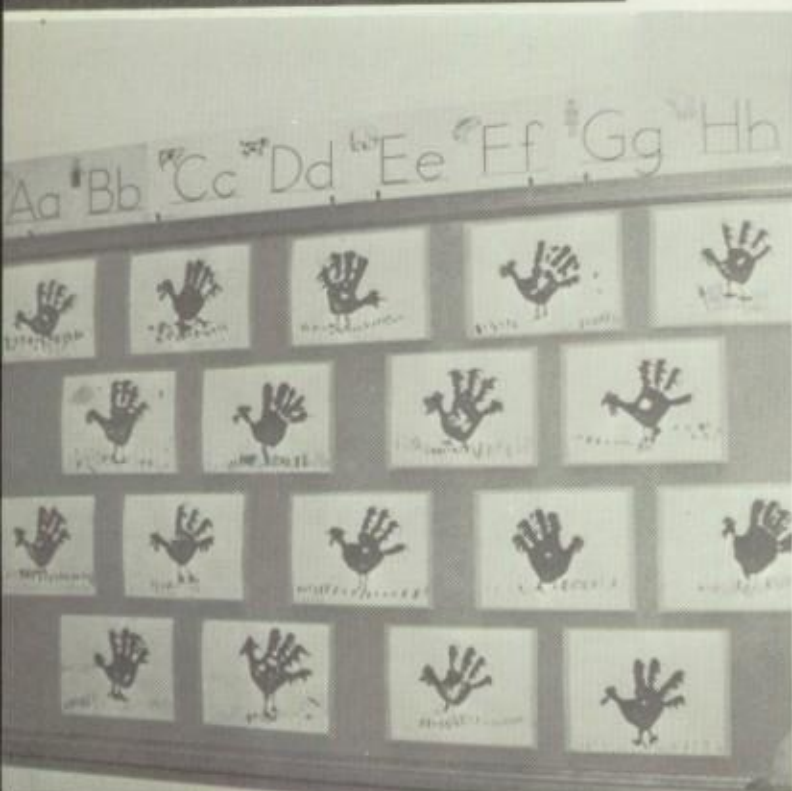


4-H Officers



Grade Play at Xmas

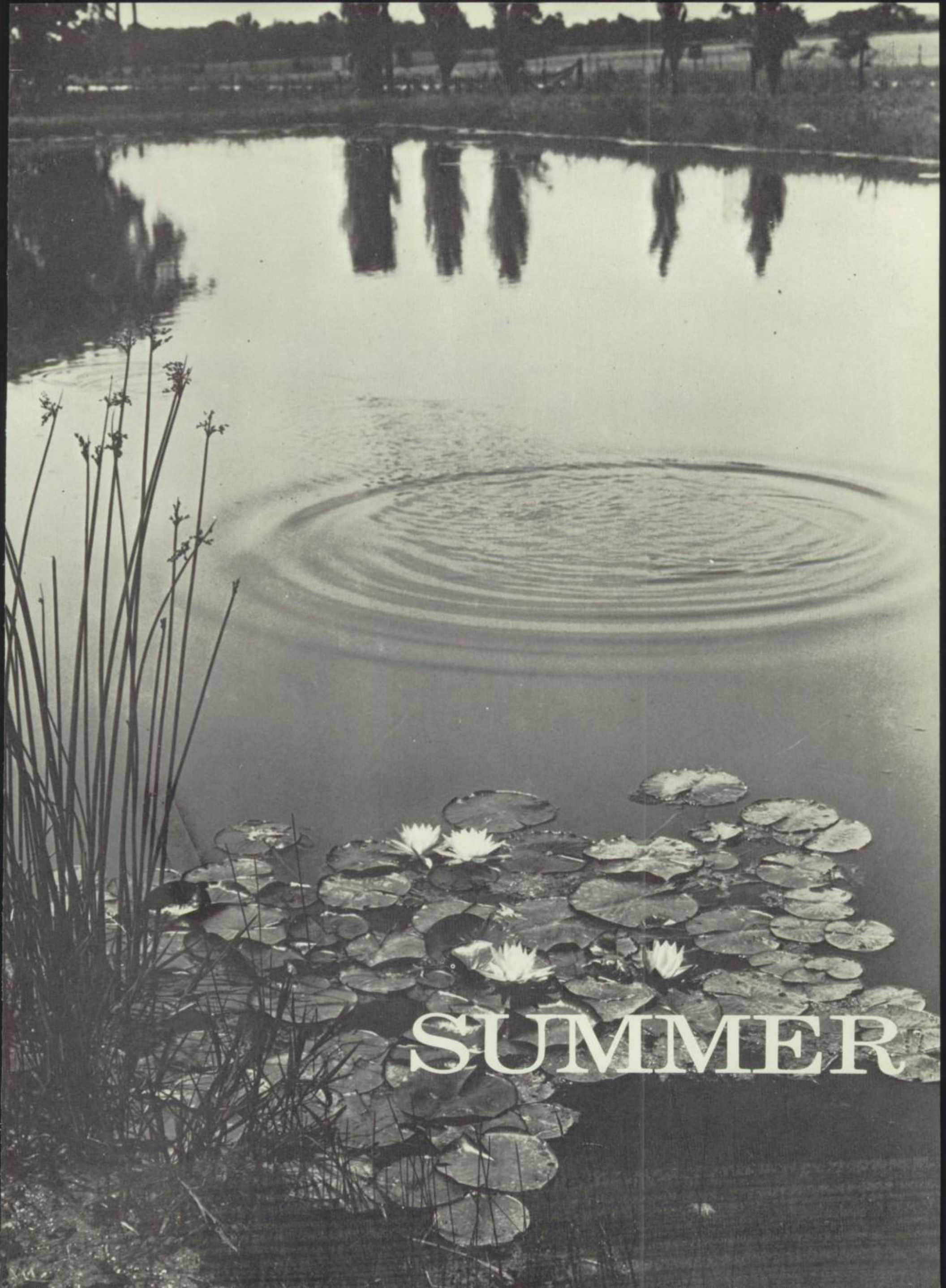
First Grade at Christmas Party



First Open House

Choir at Play





SUMMER



FFA OFFICERS
(SEATED
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Joe Armstrong
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Vice-President
Larry Able
President
Lyma Johnston
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Farm Managers:
(STANDING
LEFT TO RIGHT)

Bobby Apperson
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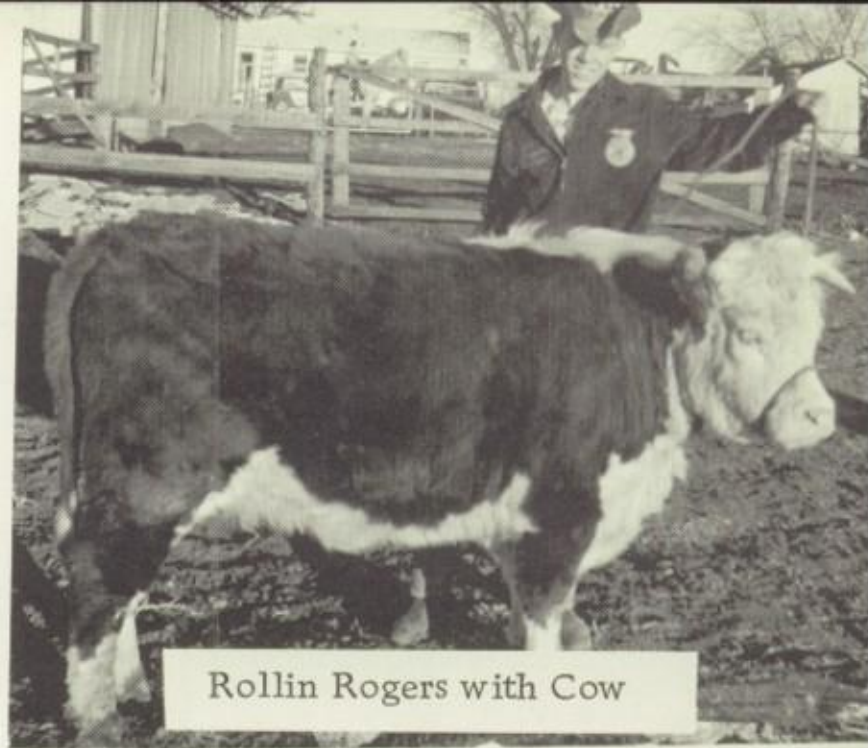
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Voc. Agri. Class Trimming Feet



Rollin Rogers with Cow



Sam Wynn

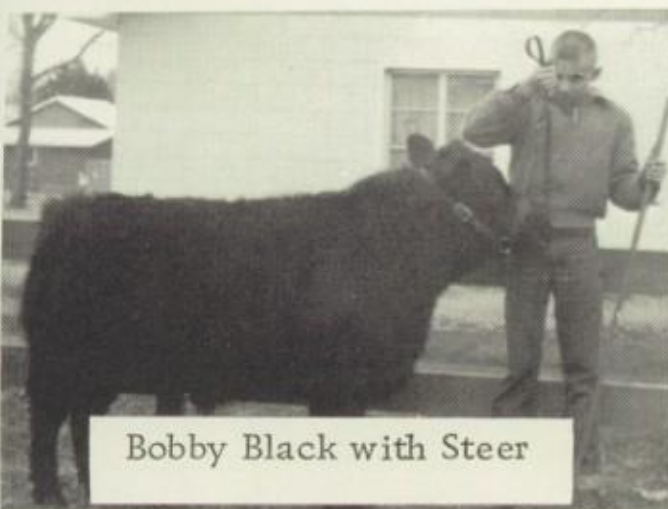


FFA Pickup

FFA SNAPS



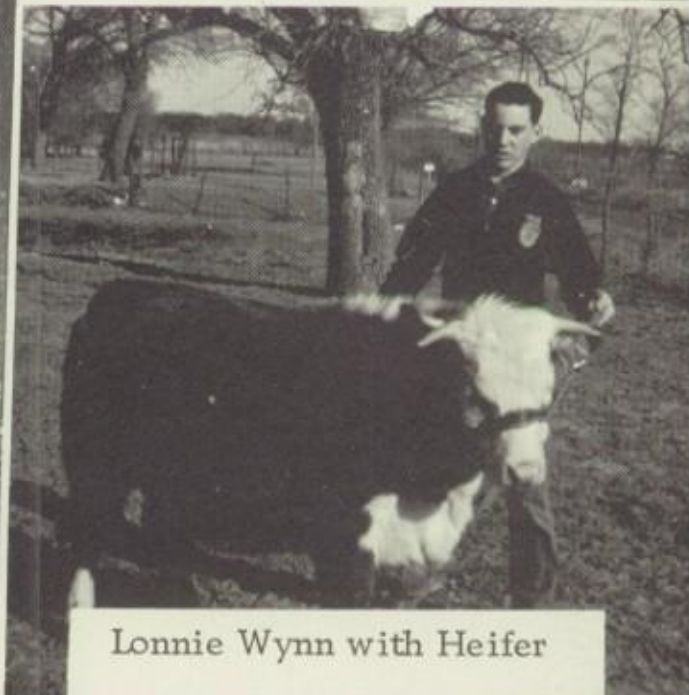
Ronnie Yost with Calf



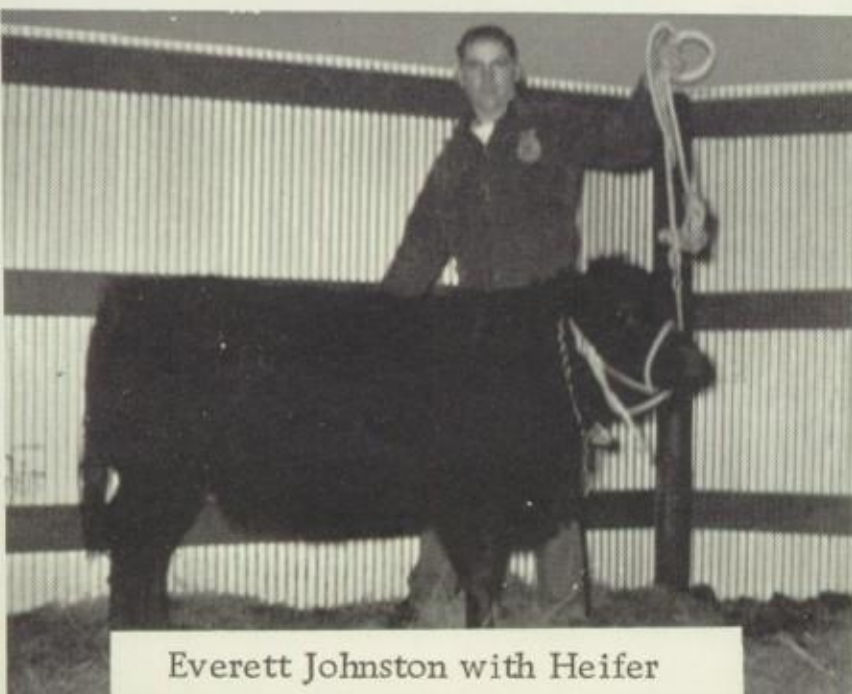
Bobby Black with Steer



Jim Harris with Hog



Lonnie Wynn with Heifer



Everett Johnston with Heifer



Voc. Agri. Class 3-B with Electrical Work

FFA SWEETHEART



Linda Wagner
Junior



Virginia Huxtable
Senior



Carole Grigsby
Sophomore



Pat Nelson
Freshman

SHOP AND DRIVER'S ED



Steve Neil using Table Saw



Driver's Education Car



Cletus Neal using Jointer



Driver's Education Students



Lyman Johnston working on Project



Students and Instructor, Mr. Hollis

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EIGHTH GRADE-----Cooking



EIGHTH-----Studying Foods
SENIOR HIGH



SOPHOMORES-----Studying Management
JUNIOR HIGH



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LEFT TO RIGHT: Sandra Hartsock, Sue Horn, Linda Williamson, Danny Mills.

STANDING: Mrs. Durham, Advisor; Ronnie Cleveland, Lonnie Wynn; Gary Rogers; Si Phillips, George Seals. SEATED: Virginia Huxtable, Jo Ann Tallman, Susie Wolfe, Tina Bonner.

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Patricia Nelson
Anna Moore

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Fonna Patch
Mary Ann Brown
Sandra Beaty

BOTTOM ROW:
Linda Williamson
Edna Jones
Dee Ann Lee

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 PRESIDENT
 Si Phillips
 VICE-PRESIDENT
 Bobby
 Williamson
 (Back Row)



OFFICERS
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 Gamble
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 (Front Row)

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 Assistant
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 Juanita
 Rice
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 Steve
 Neill
 Gossip--
 Sandy
 Ander-
 son

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 Advisor--
 Mrs.
 Vera
 Wagner



(STANDING)
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 Reporter--
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 Tallman
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 Norma
 Bynum
 Miscellaneous--
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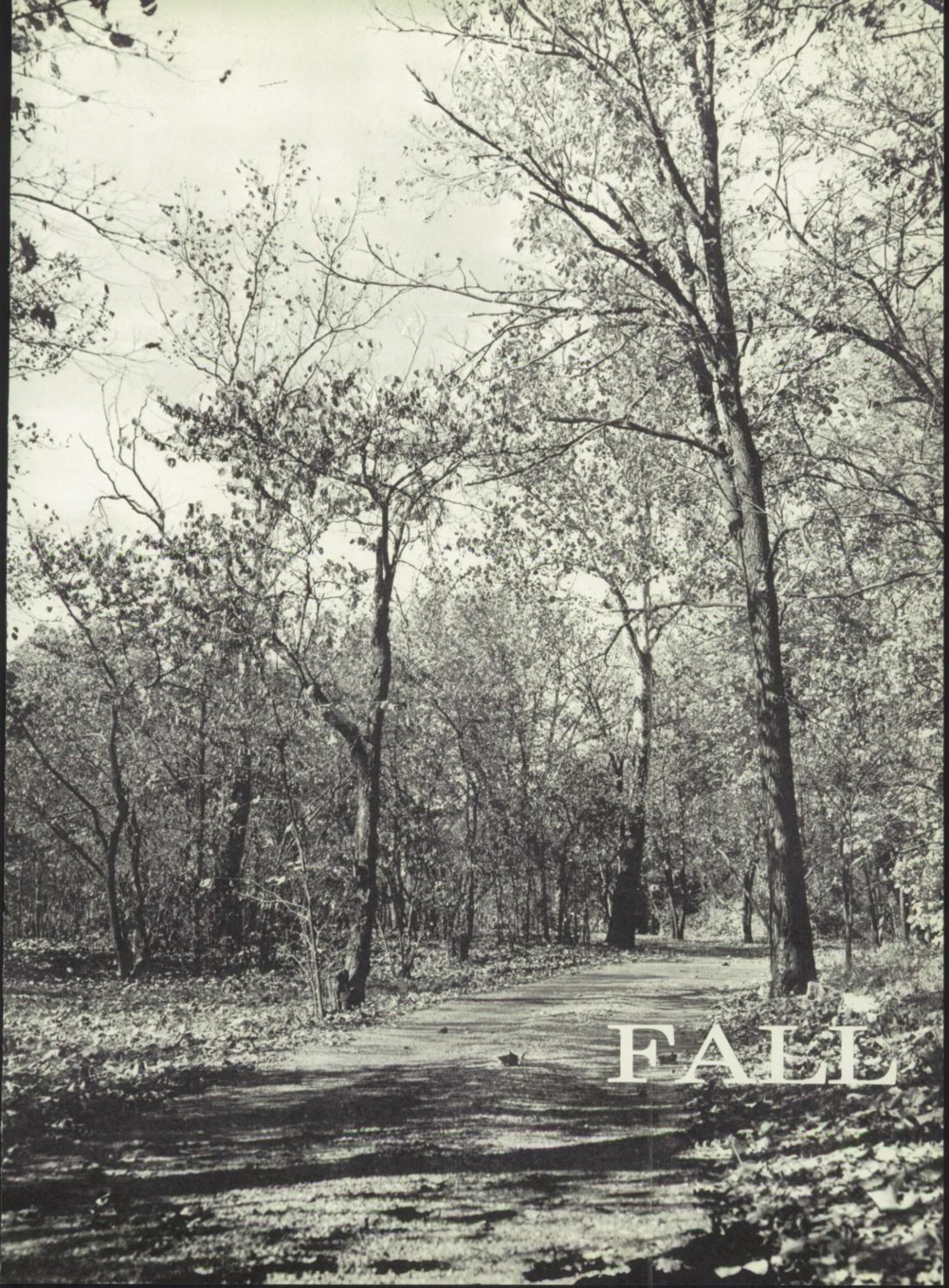


GRADE SCHOOL OFFICE HELP

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 Su Wane Hollis
 Barbara McAffrey
 Jimmy Si Phillips
 Sandy Anderson
 Rose Ann Tyler

Junior Play Cast in
 "BACKWOODS ROMEO"





FALL

SR. HI ROYALTY

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SANDY ANDERSON
Senior



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GARRY CHANEY
Senior

ANNETTE BLACK
JERRY WYRICK
Junior



CHERYL LEE
JARY DOUGLAS
Sophomore

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JR. HI ROYALTY

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LINDA WILLIAMSON
Eighth



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DAVID HOLLINGSWORTH
Eighth

DEE ANN LEE
TOMMY RUPERT
Freshman



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JANICE LIPSCOMB
MARK GRIGSBY
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GRADE ROYALTY

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Connie
Lipscomb

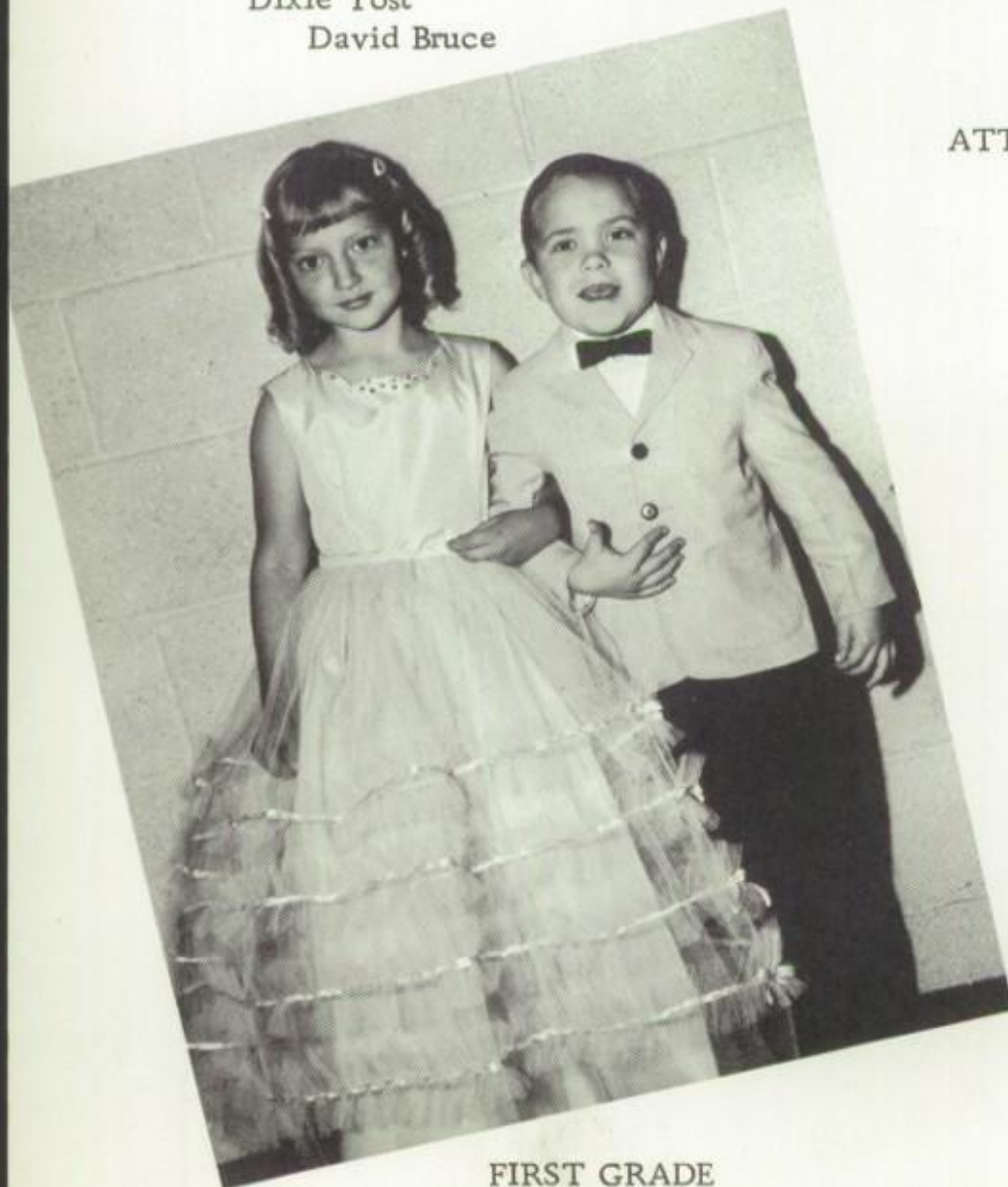


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Callahan

THIRD GRADE

Dixie Yost
David Bruce



FIRST GRADE

ATTENDANTS

Brenda McAffrey
Marty Horner



FIRST AND SECOND GRADE

ATTENDANTS



Christy Williams
Danny Johnston
SECOND



Debbie Horner
Mark Lovelace
THIRD AND FOURTH



Sandra Jinks
Billy Rogers
FIFTH

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SIXTH



Patricia Brown
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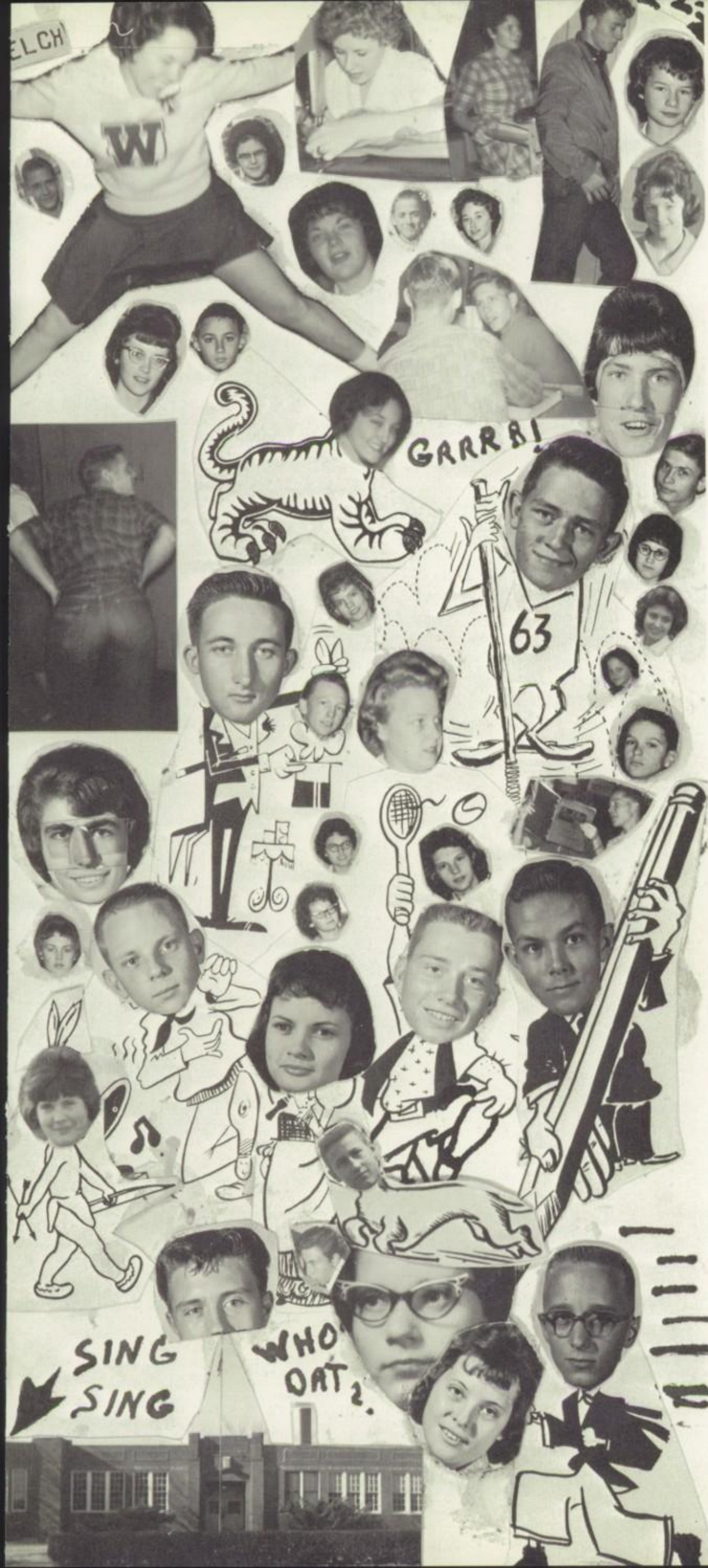
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BASKETBALL QUEEN

Virginia Huxtable



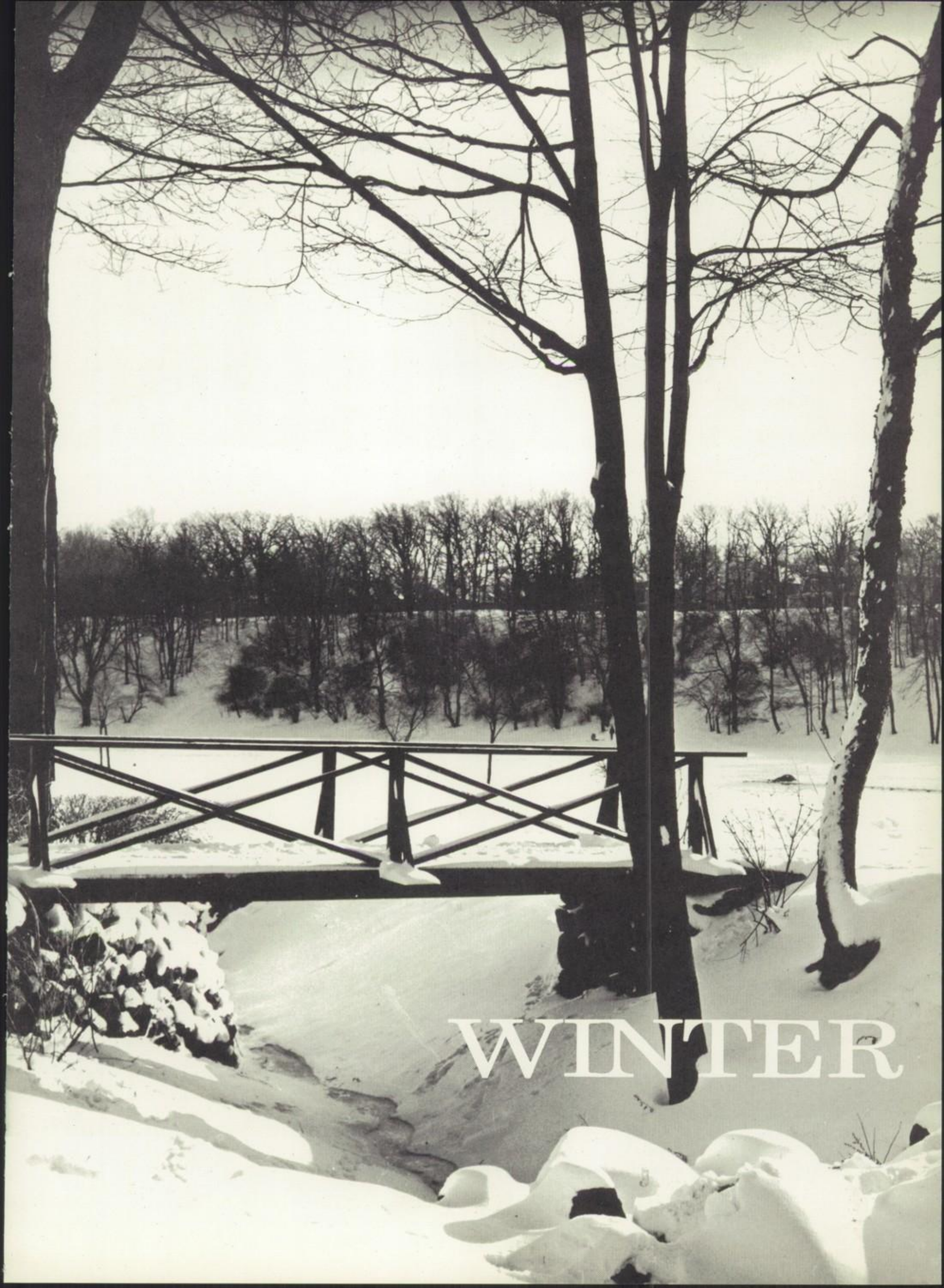
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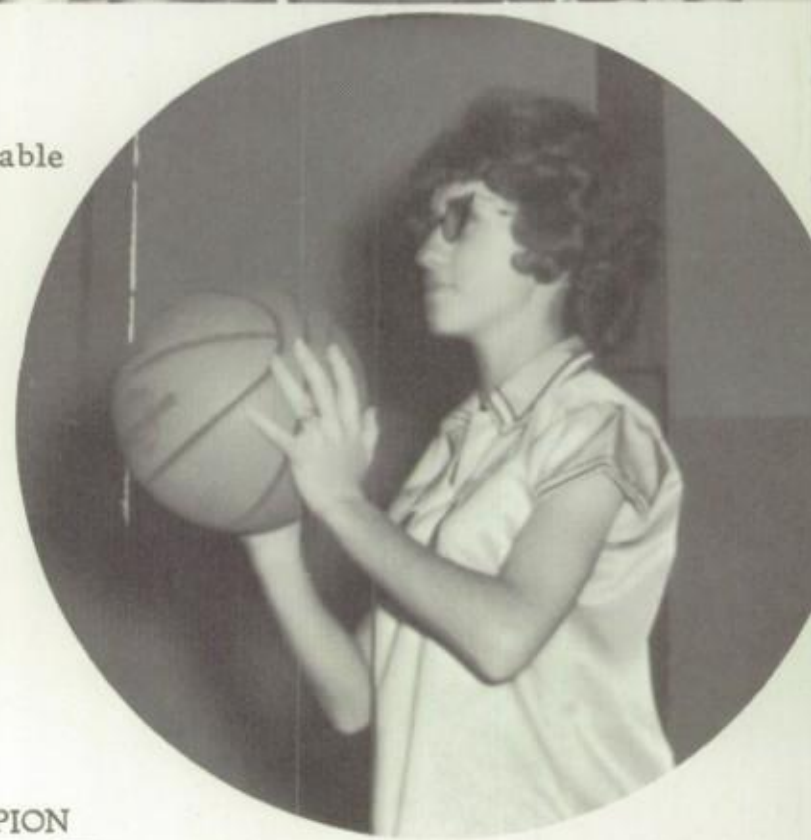
WINTER

GIRLS' BASKETBALL



CAPTAINS

Sandy Anderson Senior Virginia Huxtable Senior



1962-63

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS
MIAMI TOURNAMENT CHAMPION
VINITA TOURNAMENT RUNNER-UP
DISTRICT RUNNER-UP

1962-63 Record
Won 21 - Lost 3

KENNETH SOOTER
Coach



Welch	48	-	Ketchum	30
Welch	32	-	Big Cabin	25
Welch	49	-	Lenapah	21
Welch	41	-	White Oak	33
Welch	40	-	Adair	37
Welch	44	-	Oaks	13
Welch	47	-	Strang	14
Welch	14	-	Bluejacket	22
Welch	37	-	Ketchum	24
Welch	23	-	Big Cabin	19
Welch	30	-	Adair	21
Welch	41	-	Afton	21

Welch	34	-	Bluejacket	29
Welch	37	-	Bixby	31
Welch	47	-	Chouteau	24
Welch	42	-	Chouteau	25
Welch	40	-	Afton	24
Welch	40	-	Adair	42
Welch	37	-	Strang	21
Welch	26	-	Bluejacket	24
Welch	52	-	Chouteau	31
Welch	46	-	White Oak	24
Welch	45	-	Adair	43
Welch	27	-	Chelsea	38



Billye Collins
Junior

Linda Eckles
Junior



Linda Wagner
Junior



Patricia Neil
Junior

Annette Black
Junior



ACTION

SHOTS



Betty Williams
Junior

Yvonne Fox
Junior



Karen Williamson
Sophomore



Keithette Morton
Sophomore

Earlene Angel
Sophomore



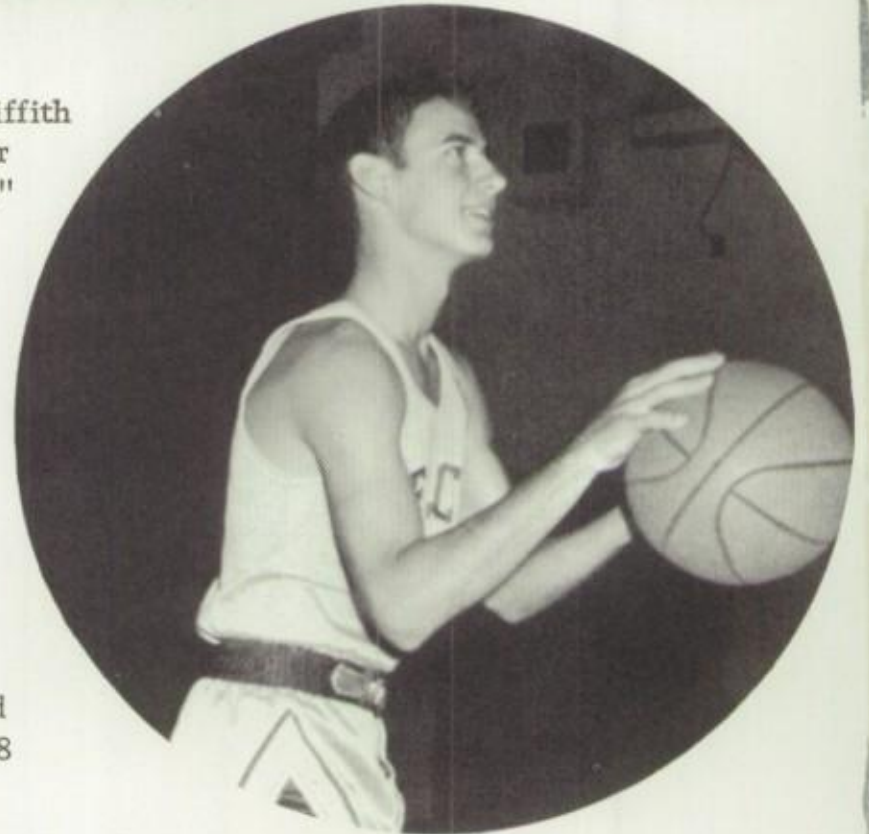
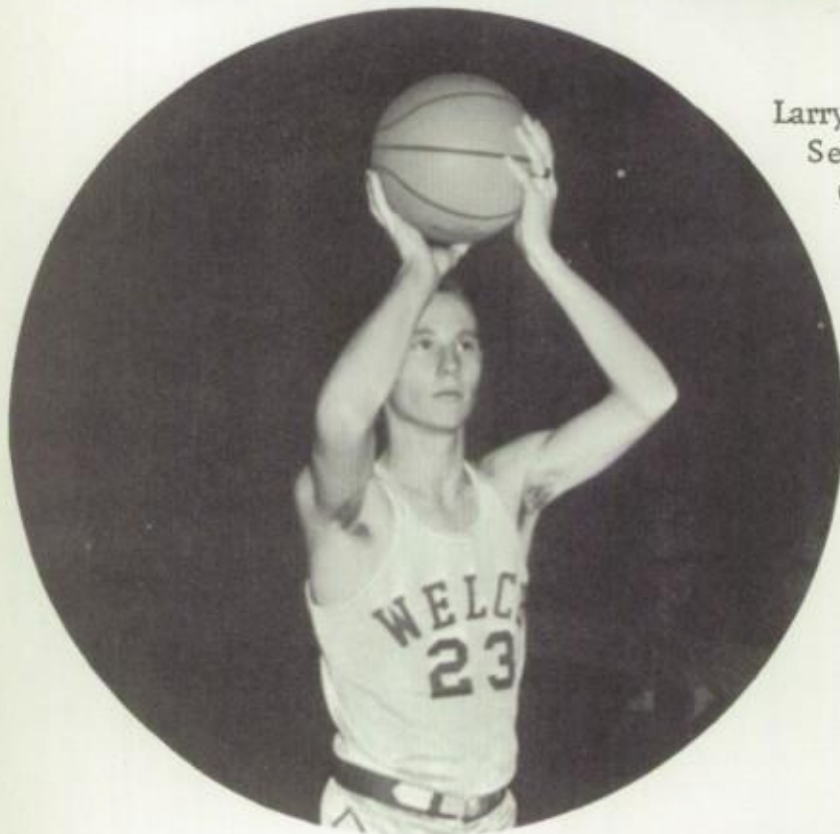
BOYS' BASKETBALL



CAPTAINS

Larry Able
Senior
6'

Dean Griffith
Junior
5' 10"



1962-63 Record
Won 14 - Lost 8

1962-1963
CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS RUNNER-UP
DISTRICT TOURNAMENT RUNNER-UP

KENNETH SOOTER
Coach

Welch	53	-	Ketchum	40
Welch	40	-	Big Cabin	26
Welch	51	-	Lenapah	52
Welchq	55	-	White Oak	46
Welch	32	-	Adair	38
Welch	70	-	Oaks	44
Welch	42	-	Strang	38
Welch	38	-	Bluejacket	37
Welch	46	-	Ketchum	27
Welch	54	-	Big Cabin	25
Welch	54	-	Adair	44



Welch	52	-	Afton	46
Welch	42	-	Jay	47
Welch	37	-	Chouteau	71
Welch	71	-	Commerce	39
Welch	44	-	Fairland	61
Welch	61	-	Strang	64
Welch	56	-	Bluejacket	51
Welch	34	-	Chouteau	55
Welch	46	-	White Oak	41
Welch	39	-	Catoosa	37
Welch	30	-	Adair	49

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Johnny Walls
Junior
6'

Joe Schumacher
Sophomore
6'

Jim George
Junior
6'



Tommy Teal
Sophomore
5' 8"



Lloyd Johnston
Junior
6'



ACTION SHOTS



Gale Black
Junior
6'

Jimmy Talley
Junior
5' 6"

Cletus Neal
Sophomore
5' 8"



Jary Douglas
Sophomore
5' 11"

John Steele
Sophomore
5' 10"





FRONT ROW: Lura Meier, Dee Ann Lee, Janice Lipscomb, Betty Fessler, Kenny Morton, Edna Jones, and Linda Burris. SECOND ROW: Alberta Burris, Nancy Burke, Cindy Ruark, Katy Fox, Mary Brown, Dena Rae McClure, and Sandy Hartsock. BACK ROW: Cynthia Broyles, Neva Hall, Sandy Beaty, Linda Moore, Pat Nelson, Patsy Fox, and Maxine Williams.

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BASEBALL TEAM



LEFT TO RIGHT, FRONT ROW: Cletus Neal, John Steele, Jimmy Talley, Tommy Teal. SECOND ROW: Jackie Stout, Floyd Tiece, Joe Schumacher, Gale Black, Dean Griffith. BACK ROW: Jary Douglas, Loyd Johnston, Johnny Walls, Larry Able, Larry Steele, Jimmy Si Phillips.

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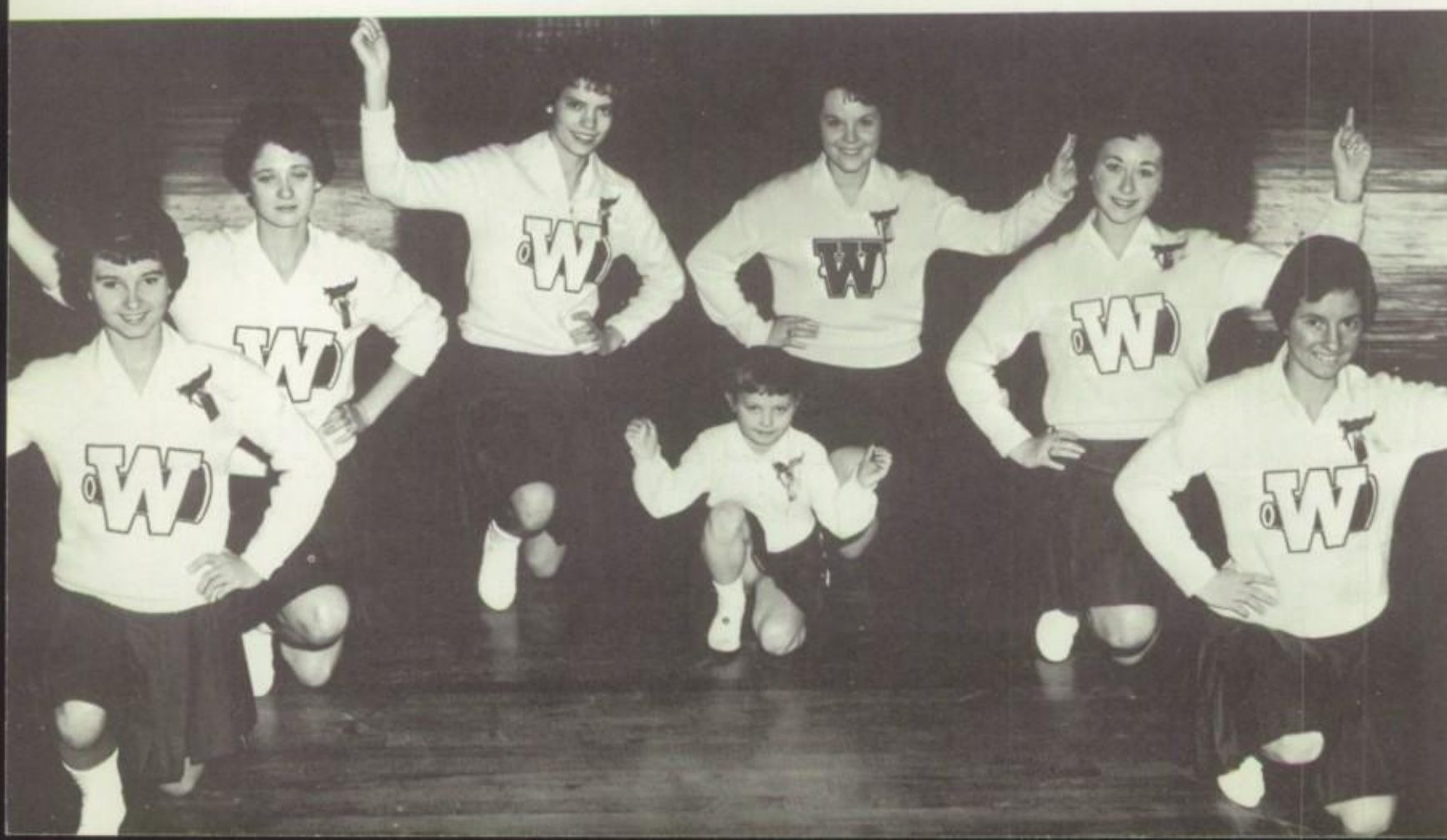
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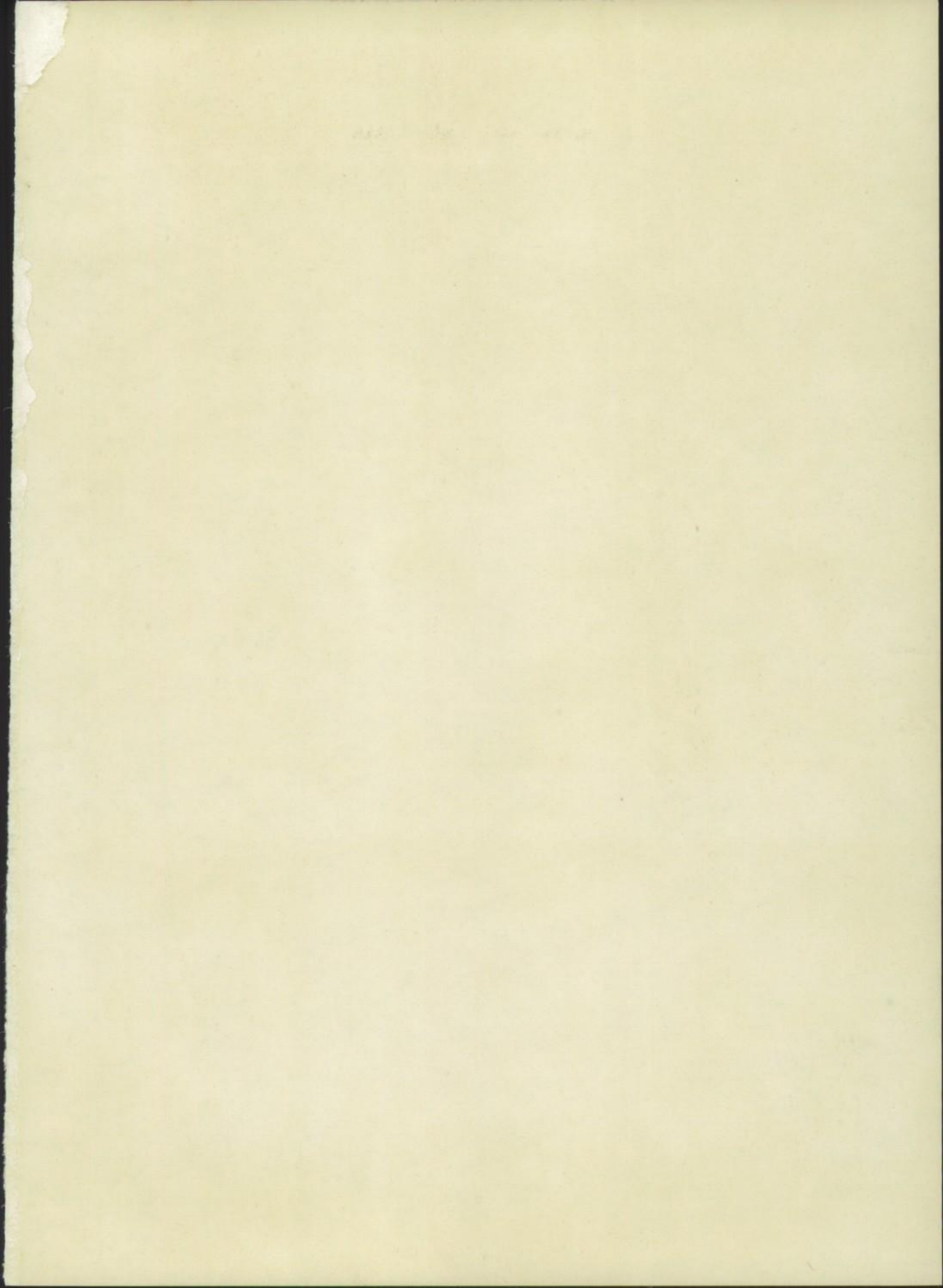


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Earlene Angel
Reporter

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